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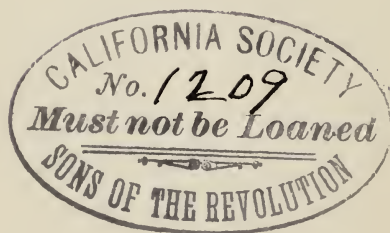
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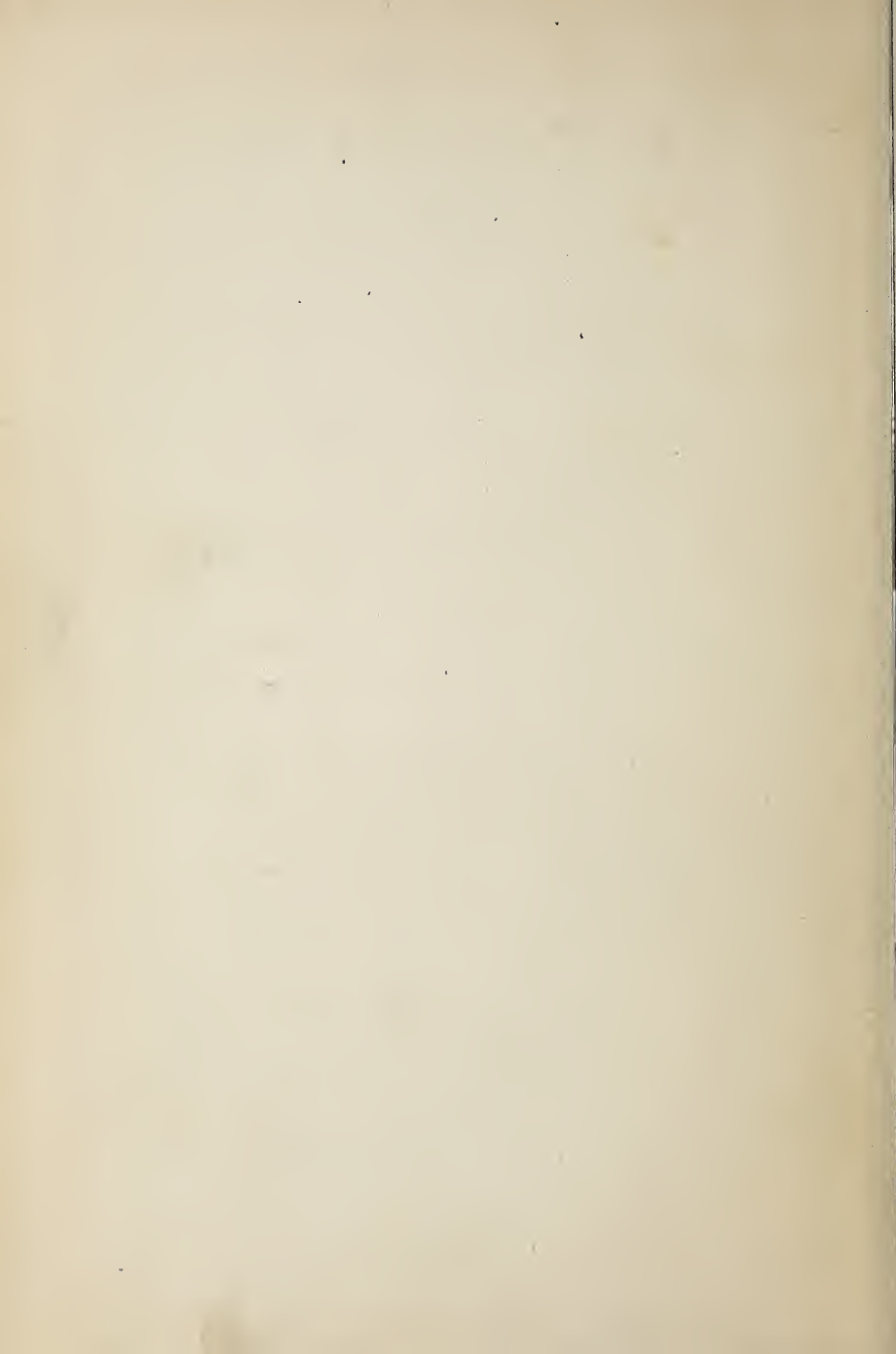
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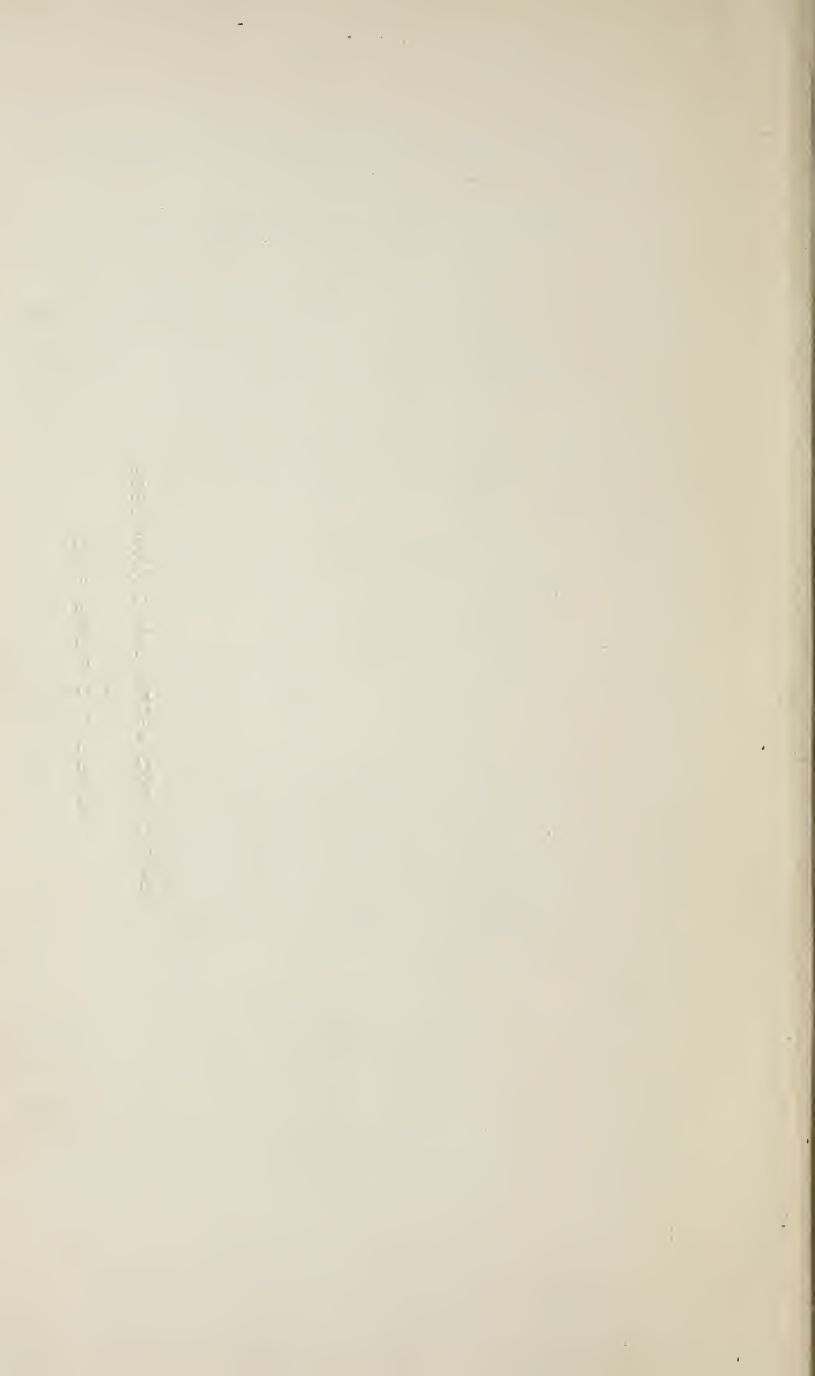
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## EXPLANATORY NOTE

IN compliance with a vote passed at the annual meeting of the National Society of Colonial Dames in the State of New Hampshire, the Old Burial Grounds Committee publishes its comparatively meagre gleanings for preservation, but does so with a hesitancy tempered by the hope that they will render assistance to some, and the consciousness that they will increase in value as the years roll by.

The Chairman gratefully makes mention of contributions of names from the Rev. Dr. Waterman, of Hanover; Mrs. Hovey, of Portsmouth; Miss Tufts, of Exeter; Mrs. Abbott, of Keene; Miss Eaton, of Hollis; Mr. Drake, of Pittsfield; and Mr. Lamb, of Manchester, in addition to those received from members of the Committee.

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# The Colonial Dead

"Theirs was the dauntless heart, the hand, the voice,  
That bade the desert blossom and rejoice."

A FEW years ago, when members of the Old Burial Grounds Committee were investigating the condition of Colonial graves in their several localities, they considerably copied the headstone inscriptions. Now that the request is made for their publication as a safeguard against the ravages of old Father Time's servants upon the originals, regrets that the gleanings had not been more widespread arise.

To us there is a peculiar charm in those peaceful resting-places that is not easily defined — a tumult of emotions, a wonderment as to the experiences of those so long sleeping, and a reverent eagerness to learn about them. The old black slate stones possess a wondrous fascination, varying with the mood of the onlooker. Sometimes they seem like sentinels in sombre garb, as if mourning that those whom they guard cannot participate in the marvellous progress during the years of their rest. At other times they attract irresistibly by their faithfulness in preserving the messages committed to their care, and even the quaint ornamentations challenge admiration. Occasionally these graves are clustered in some sheltered spot undisturbed by modern burials and apart from the rush of modern life. Such a burying-ground is hidden away in the town of

BEDFORD,

and is found only by chance or by guidance. Even then running blackberry-vines catch hold of our garments as if

in protest, but tall nodding grasses and bright-faced wild flowers beckon us on, so, reverently, we search the headstones. Many of them are stately, with "memento mori" traced above a weeping willow sheltering an urn, or an hour-glass with "My glass is run"; but it is noticeable that birth-dates were not in use. Occasionally the wear of time or lichenous growth compels finger-tips to assist eyes in deciphering both letters and dates.

The old artists had an independent way of suiting subjects and words to the space in hand. Upon one wide, scroll-bordered stone is the record of MR. JOHN BURNS, who died March 26, 1778, aged 77, separated by a line from that of MRS. ANN, his wife, died July, 1745, in the 21st year of her age. Above each is an hour-glass with an alert-looking bird perched upon it (presumably symbolic of the soul's flight). In the centre of the rounded top is a large cherub's head with outspread wings, and at each end of the segment are smaller heads with one wing of usual proportions, but the other greatly dwarfed so as to fit into the corner.

On another, a full-fledged cherub hovers over the man's name, but over his wife's is only a prim, wingless bust.

So interesting are the inscriptions that inclination urges the publication of every epitaph, but expediency forbids: therefore, with no reference whatever to personal prominence, a few are selected to assist in discerning the trend of thought at that period.

CAPT. MOSES BARRON, d. June 6<sup>th</sup> 1771, a. 61.

*"Friends and physicians could not save  
My mortal body from the grave,*

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*Nor can the grave confine me here  
When Christ shall call me to appear."*

MRS. LUCY BARRON, wife of Moses, d. Sept. 4<sup>th</sup> 1758,  
a. 43.

*"A body's here deprived of life,  
A faithful, loving, virtuous wife."*

GEORGE ORR, d. Oct. 18<sup>th</sup>, 1807, a. 73.

*"Think, mortal. think.  
You stand upon eternity's dread brink."*

MARGARET ORR, widow of George, d. Jan. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1828,  
a. 85.

(Upon the same stone)

ANNA WALLACE, sister of said Margaret, d. Nov. 6<sup>th</sup>  
1825, a. 81.

*"From all the labors and trials which through a  
long life they kindly assisted each other to support —  
their bodies here rest. Their spirits whereof,  
How they stand before their God,  
The day of judgement will declare."*

HON. JOHN ORR, d. Dec. 23<sup>rd</sup> 1822, a. 74.

*"He possessed great independance of mind. regulated  
by exact justice both in public and private life. He  
esteemed moral excellence above all other qualities  
of character; and was more desirous of that than of any  
other attainment. His life was true to his sentiments."*

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*As an officer of the Church of Christ he was distinguished  
by a discriminating judgement, by uncommon decision,  
candor and meekness. He lived and died in an unshaken,  
practical adherence to the faith once delivered to the Saints."*

Quite in contrast with Bedford's is the beautiful necropolis of old aristocratic

### CHESTER,

where graves from the town's earliest settlement intermingle, thereby keeping a constant remembrance of those to whom we are so inexpressibly indebted.

Here lies MR. ISAAC BLAISDELL, the first clockmaker in the State, who died Oct. 9<sup>th</sup>, 1791, a. 53.

*"He was a man well esteemed in publick affairs for his integrity, ingenuity and firmness. sincere in Religion, a loss to the Publick as well as to his family."*

ESQ. SAMUEL EMERSON, who passed into eternity Sept. y<sup>e</sup> 26<sup>th</sup> 1793 Ætat 86. was the great-grandfather of one of the early American missionaries to the Sandwich Islands.

*"He was a perfect pattern of humanity, a worthy member of Society, an honest Man, and died universally lamented."*

*Bless'd are the Dead who die in God.*

*They sleep in Jesus and are blest.*

*Behold, beneath this mouldering clod*

*A pious Christian lies at rest."*

MRS. DOROTHY EMERSON, relict of Samuel, d. March 25<sup>th</sup> 1804. a. 83.

*"Halt passenger as you pass by,  
Remember death is always nigh,  
Therefore prepare to meet your God  
That you may rest in his abode."*

REV<sup>d</sup> EBENEZER FLAGG was minister of the First Parish for sixty years until his death in 1796 at the age of 92 years.

*"In him unaffected Piety and benevolence were eminently conspicuous. He was beloved by all who knew him and they were animated to the practice of pure Religion by his example."*

(The Rev Mr Flagg is an ancestor of Daniel Chester French, the noted sculptor.)

MRS. LUCRETIA FLAGG, "the virtuous consort of the Rev<sup>d</sup> Ebenezer, d. March 30<sup>th</sup> 1764 in the 41<sup>st</sup> year of her age."

MRS. MARY FLAGG, "the Amiable & Virtuous consort to the Rev<sup>d</sup> Ebenezer, d. Nov<sup>r</sup> 10<sup>th</sup> AD. 1783. a. 62."

WILLIAM GRAHAM d. April y<sup>e</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> 1789, in the 73<sup>rd</sup> year of his age.

*"Lo in the law Jehovah dwells,  
But Jesus is conceal'd,  
Whereas the Gospel's nothing else  
But Jesus Christ reveal'd."*

There are two interesting horizontal slabs. One is in memory of the REV. JOHN WILSON, who, in 1779, at the age of 70 years, put on immortality after 45 years of faithful service over the Presbyterian Church.

*"He was a servant of Christ in the most peculiar and sacred relation, both in doctrine and life. It was his great delight to preach a crucified Christ as our wisdom, righteousness, sanctification and redemption. He did not entertain his hearers with curiosities, but with real spiritual good; His sermons were clear, solid, affectionate. A spirit of vital christianity ran through them.*

*His life was suitable to his holy profession. He was a steady friend, a loving husband, a tender parent. His inward grace was visible in a conversation becoming the gospel."*

The other stone, considerably worn, is ornamented with

a quaint design around the edge. Upon the leaves of an open book is this Scriptural quotation,

*"For the law was given by Moses but grace and truth come by Jesus Christ."*

Beneath are the words:

"Here lyes the Body of M<sup>rs</sup> JEAN WILSON, spouse of the Rev<sup>d</sup> John Wilson, A.M. who departed this life Aprile 1<sup>st</sup> 1752. aged 36 years."

*"She was a woman of devout piety, and a good economist."*

#### CONCORD,

our dignified capitol city, with its many fine public buildings effectively set in spacious grounds, was called Penny Cook in plantation days. From 1731 to 1734 it was in a state of transition, resulting in its establishment as the incorporated town of Rumford, and it was so known for about thirty years, when another change gave the present name. Ground for the

#### *Old North Cemetery,*

where Colonial and more recent graves commingle "lest we forget," was set apart for burial purposes by the "Proprietors of Penny Cook" on the 31st of March, 1730, but there were no inscribed stones prior to 1800, nor even then did epitaphs seem to be in favor with the Colonists. The only one is upon the headstone of NATHANIEL ABBOTT, who died November 25, 1848, aged 79.

*"Dust to its kindred dust beneath,  
Soul to its home on high,  
They who have seen thy look in death  
May no more fear to die."*

It is a pleasure to grant the request that a few facts from history supplement the names and dates of the following.

The HON. JOHN BRADLEY, who passed into life eternal July 6th, 1815, aged 72 years, was "one of the most upright, useful and honored citizens of the town," and "his home was the abode of hospitality." His widow, HANNAH, died August 15th, 1817, aged 66.

Of the CARRIGANS, DR. PHILIP, who died August 7th, 1806, aged 80, had the reputation of being not only a good physician and noted surgeon, but an orator and writer of poetry. His son, the HON. PHILIP CARRIGAN, Secretary of State, and author of the first reliable map of New Hampshire, died March 15th, 1842, aged 70. The elder Carrigan's wife, ELIZABETH, died 1805, at the age of 59.

CAPTAIN JOHN CHANDLER (1702-1774) is registered as one of the first to settle in Penny Cook. His grandson, MAJOR TIMOTHY CHANDLER (1762-1848), was a clock-maker of repute.

The REV. TIMOTHY WALKER, faithful and beloved, sometimes called the "father of the town," was its first minister when New Hampshire was a British Province, and was not only a guide in spiritual affairs, but a wise counsellor in matters of public interest. "He departed this life September 1, 1782, in the 78<sup>th</sup> year of his age and the 52<sup>d</sup> of his ministry."

Another honored grave is that of the fourteenth PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, which is within the "Minot enclosure." The modest marble shaft bears upon it, —



## FRANKLIN PIERCE

Born Nov. 23, 1804,

Died Oct. 8, 1869.

— distinctly attractive in its dignified simplicity. Although this city was his home during the greater portion of his life, he was born in Hillsborough, the town in which his father, Gov. BENJAMIN PIERCE (1757-1839), lies buried.

If you wish to learn more about the silent inhabitants of this sacred ground the unique "Old Cemetery Gravestone Inscriptions," by Mr. Hotchkiss, will give you an exact copy of the words upon each stone, together with a map of the yard. It is to be found only in the library of the New Hampshire Historical Society.

The Colonial period in this State is so closely connected with the talented REV. NATHANIEL BOUTON, D.D., through his valuable and exhaustive work, "Provincial and State Papers," in ten large volumes (covering the years from 1623 to 1792), that, although his life's span was from 1799 to 1878, and his last long rest is in another cemetery, we desire to pay tribute to his great service in the State as well as in his church and town. He came to Concord in 1825, and was the revered pastor of the North Congregational Church for forty years. His daughter, Mrs. Arthur E. Clarke, is President of the Colonial Dames in the State of New Hampshire.

In one of Concord's suburbs, not far from the imposing group of St. Paul's School buildings, a large granite monument stands by the wayside. It records that "near this



spot" SAMUEL BRADLEY, JONATHAN BRADLEY, OBADIAH PETERS, JOHN BEAN, and JOHN LUFKIN were "massacred by the Indians August 11, 1746." With tear-dimmed eyes we turn away, conscious of an aroused appreciation of our priceless heritage of safety.

Because of the abundance of butternut, chestnut, and walnut trees in the location selected by a group of sixteen Scotch-Irish families in 1718, they called the settlement Nutfield, but it was dignified by incorporation under the name of Londonderry in 1722. They were a thrifty people, vigorous and of superior intelligence, and the "New Hampshire Gazetteer" (published in 1823) informs us that "they introduced with them the culture of the potato, a vegetable till then unknown in New England." Prosperity attended them, and their excellent linen cloth and thread found a ready market. When the large town had grown to the age of more than a century of years, its inhabitants bethought themselves of dividing it so as more conveniently to administer their affairs, social and political. Straightway the division was made as nearly equal in area and population as possible. One half retained the old name, while the other was christened

#### DERRY.

Forest Hill Cemetery chanced to fall within the boundary of the new township, thereby giving to the young community the honor of holding nearly four hundred Colonial graves. Among them is that of REV. MATTHEW CLARK, who died February 27, 1735, *ætatis suæ* 76.

*“O homo si scires quod esses et unde venires numquam guaderes  
sed in omni tempore fleres.”*

MR. ROBERT GILMORE put on immortality September 3, 1782, after 82 years of mortal life, leaving this exhortation.

*“Death steady to his purpose from y<sup>e</sup> womb,  
Pursues till we are driven to y<sup>e</sup> tomb.  
O, reader wisely lay this thought to heart,  
And seek an interest in y<sup>e</sup> better part.  
Then when you close in death your mortal eyes,  
Your soul may rise and reign above y<sup>e</sup> skies.”*

Decades ago an old tombstone fell across a grave and had become nearly concealed by weeds and grasses, while lovely mosses made snug homes in its lettering. Less than two years since, its peculiar beauty and richness of design were noticed, and steps taken to preserve it by placing it in a neat mould of cement and resetting it upon a solid base. Its ornamentation is extreme. In addition to the heavy pillars and graceful arch are the sun, moon, stars, an altar with three candles, plummet, level, square and compass, trowel, coffin, buskin and shoe. Occasionally a few of these symbols are seen, but very rarely the equal of this. The inscription is

*“Virtue — Silence.  
Erected in memory of  
PHILIP GODFRID KAST.*

*He was a gentleman of extensive acquaintance & his benevolence was no less confined. His hospitality was without ostentation — In a word he was a benefactor to mankind. In his last sickness his pain was extreme which he endured with a truly philosophick spirit without y<sup>e</sup> least repining almost beyond Example. He has left an inconsolable widow. & five small children join'd by the multitude to*

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*lament the loss of a tender husband & indulgent parent & a valuable friend. He departed this life Sept 6<sup>th</sup> 1700."*

A peculiarity at the resting-place of MR. DANIEL McDUFFEE (died March 2, 1767, aged 75) and of his widow, MRS. RUTH (died November 9, 1778, aged 85), consists in having the following epitaph placed around the outer edge of the tombstone:

*"The path of the just is as a shining light that shineth more and more unto y<sup>e</sup> perfect day."*

"Concerning them that are asleep" in the two hamlets of the dead within the Londonderry portion of the old town the headstones bear simply names and dates. The only monument is one erected in memory of REV. WILLIAM MORRISON, D.D., by his "mourning flock," upon which appreciation of his thirty-five years of faithful care is affectionately expressed. "He died in sweet peace and animated hope March 9. 1818 aged 70."

## DOVER

was one of the original quartette of New Hampshire settlements, Exeter, Hampton, and Portsmouth being the other three. In 1623, a band of emigrants, who were cruising along the shore of Massachusetts Bay Colony, proceeded a few miles up the Cocheco River and were so attracted by the wondrous beauty of Winichahanat (the Indian name) that they landed and established themselves, calling the place Northam. Ten years later incorporation gave it the name of Dover.

Among the many epitaphs in Pine Hill Cemetery there

are none sweeter than young SARAH ELIOT's, who gave up life March 16, 1771, at the age of 26.

*"In hope of a happy Reunion of Soul and Body  
at the last Day."*

MOSES LITTLE ESQ<sup>r</sup> "was seized with a Malignant Fever while on a journey to Compton," and died August 30, 1798, aged 59.

*"When pestilence with rapid strides advanced,  
And thro' our humbled towns his arrows lanced,  
Not wealth, nor power, nor parting worth could save  
Even Little, friend to virtue, from the grave.  
Yet shall his deeds of charity survive,  
And e'vn his dust at the last day revive."*

MR. JOSHUA PERKINS's long life of 84 years ended August 29, 1819, and upon his tablet is inscribed:

*"God forms and governs by decrees  
All things in heaven and earth and seas,  
And by his wisdom, power and skill,  
In every case performs his will."*

When death's messenger summoned his consort, MRS. MARTHA PERKINS, January 11, 1811, at the age of 67 years, her faith and resignation were voiced thus:

*"By thy sustaining power. O God, I  
Became the joyful mother of fifteen  
Children, dear to me as life.  
When thou in thy wisdom didst call a  
Part of them to thyself, gave glory  
To thy name, and when thou didst  
Send to me the messenger of death  
I was wholly resigned to thy providence."*

The famous Waldron family were interred in the church-

yard which is beside the Methodist meeting-house. Brave MAJOR RICHARD WALDRON, 80 years old, President of the Province of New Hampshire, on the night of January 27, 1689, was "literally cut to pieces" by treacherous Indians whose enmity he had incurred in the performance of his official duties. The HON. RICHARD WALDRON, son of the President, also THOMAS WESTBROOK WALDRON, who died April 3, 1785, aged 64, lie near him.

The interesting city of

### EXETER,

headquarters of our Society during several years past, is endeared to us by many delightful memories. In Provincial and Revolutionary years it was of noteworthy importance, being our seat of government during the latter period and was one of our few seaport towns. By the tide rise of eleven feet vessels of five hundred tons could be floated down the Swamscot (now Exeter) River, and several were built each year for the West India trade. The saddlery business was also carried on more extensively "than in any other town this side of Philadelphia." A long list of "mills" turning out a variety of products is given in Morse's "Gazetteer," printed in 1797.

It seems that the town has always been noted for its educational institutions, for even then, in addition to Phillips Exeter Academy, celebrated then as now, there were six or eight private schools "chiefly for women."

The three first burying-grounds and all traces of their occupants are entirely obliterated, but in later ones are

many widely known and honored names. In the Linden Street cemetery we transcribe the following inscription with profound respect.

“JOHN PHILLIPS, LL.D.

Founder  
Of the Phillips Exeter Academy,  
An  
Associate Founder  
Of the Phillips Academy in Andover  
and  
A liberal benefactor of Dartmouth College.  
Died August 21  
1795  
Aged 75 years.  
Actuated by his ardent attachment  
To the cause of christianity  
He devoted his wealth  
To the advancement  
of  
Letters and Religion.  
His appropriate Monuments  
Are the institutions  
Which bear his name.”

“MRS. SARAH PHILLIPS, consort of John, d. Oct. 9, 1765 a 62.  
ELIZABETH, second wife of John, d Sept. 1797 a 75.”

In the same cemetery rests BENJAMIN ABBOT, LL.D., who was appointed Principal of Phillips Exeter Academy by its founder and most acceptably filled the position for fifty years. Lewis Cass, Daniel Webster, Edward Everett, George Bancroft, and many others who became men of world-wide renown were his pupils. He was 87 years of age

when on October 25, 1849, he laid aside earthly cares.

“RESURGAM.”

HANNAH TRACY, the first wife of Benjamin Abbot, died December 6, 1793, at the age of 22, leaving a son, John Emery Abbot, who grew to be a distinguished divine. MARY, his second wife, died in 1863, aged 93 years and 10 months.

In another of earth's sacred grounds sleeps REV. SAMUEL DUDLEY (son of Governor Thomas Dudley), who was born in England in 1610, and was pastor of the First Church from 1650 to his death on November 16, 1683.

Here also repose the remains of REV. JOHN CLARK (a relative of Rev. Samuel Dudley by marriage). Very rarely is it the lot of any one to win such an extraordinary hold upon the affections of a community within a life's span of 35 years as history shows to have been his good fortune. He passed away July 25, 1705, and the town erected a tomb in his memory bearing this testimony:

*“A prophet lies under this stone  
His words shall live tho' he be gone.  
When preachers die what rules the pulpit gave  
Of living, are still preached from the grave.  
The faith and life which your dear Pastor taught  
Now in the grave with him, sirs, bury not.”*

It is said that from 1650 to 1776 the ministers of this town were all related either by blood or marriage.

The following epitaph in memory of Captain Goodritch was sent to a member of our Committee in the belief that it had been copied from a very old gravestone in this city.



Thus far we have been unable to locate it, but hopefully grant it a place.

CAPTAIN JOHN GOODRITCH

*cleared from mortal shores April 16, 1799, made a swift and safe passage, we believe, to those of the Heavenly Haven. This was his last voyage, but he had made thirty others, chiefly to the West Indies for rum."*

The thought of Exeter seems incomplete with no mention of REV. JOHN WHEELWRIGHT, its founder and for several years one of the most influential factors in its public and spiritual life. He was a man of distinguished ability, learning, and piety, and fearless in defending his views. He moved from here into Maine, but his final rest came to him in Salisbury, Massachusetts, November 15, 1679, at the ripe age of 85.

THE OLD PINE BURYING-GROUND IN HAMPTON

(which is so tidily preserved by the villagers) is one of the most picturesquely fascinating of the populous silent cities. Its stone wall gray with age, its grove of sturdy, young pines sheltering the black slate gravestones with touching devotion, and spreading a thick, soft carpet of reddish brown, delicately perfumed, make an alluringly artistic combination. Furthermore, it is unique, for there have been no burials in it for more than a century — just a company of old friends whom one feels a hesitancy in intruding upon.

Although Hampton was settled in 1638, this ground was not "laid out" until 1654. The very earliest sombre-hued



sentinels have yielded to Time's wooing and disappeared, others are sinking into the earth as if to ascertain the condition of those whom they were placed there to guard, but many are still vigorous and promise faithful service for years to come. One has been captured by luxuriant mosses, which have selfishly concealed all but its outline; another has grown dumb and turns a deaf ear to questionings. The Lane family, finding that the reminders of their ancestors were becoming crumbled, erected a monument in their memory, selecting with taste a dark-hued granite which harmonizes with its surroundings. Each of its four sides is eloquent with names.

With tender thoughts and careful tread we move across to the memorial placed here by the Colonial Dames. It is of the old table-tomb style which is so touchingly attractive, protecting the sacred earth from desecration by unfriendly footsteps and designating where three divines were laid to rest side by side, the REV. SEABORN COTTON, his son, the REV. JOHN COTTON, and the latter's son-in-law, the REV. NATHANIEL GOOKIN, who preached in one parish, succeeding each other, from 1650 to 1734.

A headstone near by towering above all others bears record of the REV. EBENEZER THAYER, "who for nearly twenty six years dispensed the bread of life to the Society in this place; and on September 6<sup>th</sup> 1792. fell asleep in Jesus supported by the Christian hope of a resurrection to eternal life Æ 58."

*"While o'er this modest stone religion weeps,  
Beneath an humble cheerful Christian sleeps.*

*Sober, learned, free from care and strife,  
He fill'd the useful offices of life;  
Admired, endeared as Husband, Father, Friend,  
Peace blest his days and innocence his end.  
Blameless throughout, his worth by all approv'd,  
True to his charge, and by his people lov'd,  
He liv'd to make his hearers' faith abound,  
And died that his own virtue might be crown'd."*

The following inscription is charmingly quaint.

"DE<sup>n</sup> JOSIAH MOULTON des<sup>t</sup> Nov y<sup>e</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> 1776 in the 90<sup>th</sup> year of his age and the 57<sup>th</sup> year of his offis."

*"The sweet remem<sup>nc</sup>  
of the just  
will flourish when  
he sleeps in dust."*

"MARY, consort to De<sup>n</sup> Josiah. des<sup>t</sup> Sept 12<sup>th</sup> 1744 aged 86."

The office of Deacon was one of marked distinction. In early times no freeman was allowed to vote in town-meeting nor act as a deputy in the General Court unless he were a church member. September 8, 1642, this law was dispensed with as to the towns in New Hampshire.

There is another of "God's Gardens" in Hampton which is small and rather difficult of access. It is in a pasture far from any buildings and fertile as if two centuries ago it was a lovely field. Upon gently rising ground a cluster of old gravestones stand, remarkably free from moss or lichenous growth. In a little hollow are a few half-sunken rocks nearly covered by weeds and bushes, suggesting a handsome Colonial mansion, where once were domi-

ciled the Freese family. Three of the stones are even now easily decipherable and in their odd, old-fashioned way inform us that

“Here Lyes y<sup>e</sup> Body  
Of Lev<sup>r</sup> Jacob  
Fre se Dec<sup>d</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup>  
y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 1727  
In y<sup>e</sup> 42<sup>d</sup> year.”

“Here Lyes y<sup>e</sup> Body  
Of Benjamin Freese  
Son to Jacob &  
Rachel Freese  
Aged 2 yrs 9 mos  
& 26 Dayes Dec<sup>d</sup>  
June y<sup>e</sup> 2. 1715.”

“Here Lyes y<sup>e</sup> Body  
Of M<sup>r</sup> Joseph Chase  
Dec<sup>d</sup> Jan<sup>ry</sup> y<sup>e</sup> 12  
1717  
The 73 year.”

That he was a man of prominence is known by “Mr” for in those “dayes” it was used only in designation of one in high social position, and the office of Lieutenant was of much greater honor and responsibility than now.

One more pause, this time by the roadside near Boar’s Head, where a mysterious relic of antiquity which was exhumed not far away has been erected. It is a stone with three crosses rudely cut upon it, and is supposed to have marked the grave of THORWALD ERICSSON, who, according to the Icelandic Sagas, sailed along the northern New England shore A.D. 1004. He and his crew made a landing, but soon he was mortally wounded by a poisoned arrow shot by an Indian. At his request he was buried in a place whose description tallies with Great Boar’s Head, for even in 1638 the settlers found the point heavily wooded and extending out into the ocean a quarter of a mile farther than at present.

One of the choicest centres of our pride and interest is

DARTMOUTH COLLEGE IN HANOVER.

Its founder and first President, with his wife, rest from earth's cares in a large tomb with two covering slabs laid side by side.

Upon one is:

Hic quiescit corpus

ELEAZAR WHEELOCK

S. T. D.

Academici Morensis, Collegii Dartmouthensis

Fundatoris, et primi praesidis.

Evangelio barbaros indomuit;

Et excultis nova scientifice patefecit.

Viator,

I, et imitare,

Si poteris,

Tanta meritorum proemia laturus.

MDCCX natus, MDCCLXXIX obiit.

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Here rests the body

of

ELEAZAR WHEELOCK S.T.D.

Founder and first president

of

Dartmouth College,

and

Moor's Charity School.

By the gospel he subdued the ferocity of the savages;

And to the civilized he opened new paths of science.

Traveler,

Go, if you can, and deserve

The sublime rewards of such merit.

He was born in the year 1710; and died in 1779.

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Pietate filii Johannis Wheelock

Hoc monumentum constructum inscriptumque fuit.

Anno MDCCLXXX.

The companion stone is rather profusely ornamented and bears upon it

Consecrated to the memory  
of

MARY,

Of the family of Brinsmead in Milford, Connecticut,  
And consort of Eleazar Wheelock, S. T. D.  
President of Dartmouth College, &c.

She lived in the fear of God,  
And in the lively exercise of the Christian virtues,  
till her departure, in 1783.  
Anno aetatis 69.

Their son, JOHN WHELOCK, was in the first graduating class of the College. Although but twenty-five years old, at the death of his father, he was chosen President and held the position for over thirty years, with honor both to the Institution and himself. His mortal life began January 28, 1754, and ended April 1, 1817.

In the old town of

HOLLIS,

the Nisitisset of the Indians, there is a table-tomb, that most beautiful of ancient sepulchral memorials. Upon the large stone is expressed deep appreciation of the ability and character of REV. DANIEL EMERSON, the beloved minister of the town for fifty years, whose "praise was in all the Churches." He was born May 20, 1716, and "fell asleep in Jesus Sept. 30. 1801."

In the midst of his pastorate (1755) he obtained permission to accompany Colonel Blanchard's regiment to Crown

Point as chaplain. When the regiment was ordered to "present arms," he, with his keen, benevolent face aglow, presented his — the Bible.

There is also a long eulogy of the Rev. Emerson's wife, HANNAH, a daughter of Rev. Joseph Emerson, of Malden, who passed beyond February 28, 1812, aged 90.

The attractive city of

#### KEENE

(formerly Ashuelot, one of the most flourishing post-towns in Cheshire County), adopted its present name in 1753.

The Washington Street Cemetery is rich in mortuary inscriptions; but the most pathetic is the couplet at the grave of MRS. ELIZABETH BLAKE, wife of Nathan, who entered into rest July 19, 1804, at the age of 83.

*"Let me not forgotten lie  
Lest you forget that you must die."*

JUDGE DANIEL NEWCOMB (1746-1818) was a man of power and held in high esteem.

*"He neither sought nor declined honours."*

His wife, SARAH, daughter of Rev. David Stearns, of Lunenburg, was only 38 years old when, on the thirteenth of November, 1796, she put on immortality.

*"How loved, how valued once avails thee not,  
To whom related, nor by whom begot,  
A heap of dust alone remains of thee,  
'Tis all thou art and what we all must be."*

Madam Whitney was "the most cultured and the most

looked up to woman of her time in this vicinity." From her monument we transcribe

"MEMENTO MORI.

*This stone is erected to perpetuate the memory of*

MADAM RUTH WHITNEY

*who departed this life in the 72<sup>nd</sup> year of her age. She was married successively to the Rev. David Stearns of Lunenburg, and to the Rev Aaron Whitney of Petersham, both of whom she survived.*

*For diligence, patience, piety and knowledge she was eminently distinguished. As this stone cannot tell all her virtues suffice it to say, that as a wife she was prudent and faithful, as a mother discreet and tender, as a neighbor friendly and charitable, as a Christian intelligent and exemplary. A life thus spent terminated with composure on the first of November 1788.*

*The righteous shall be had in everlasting remembrance."*

### MANCHESTER,

New Hampshire's "Queen City," is sadly deficient in Colonial honors, for she had birth only in 1810 (the little hamlet of Derryfield (1751) having been her forerunner). Not many more than a score of Colonists find rest within her borders, but the view from the Weston Observatory, in Derryfield Park would gladden their hearts with its fulfilment of their fond dreams while enduring hardships and braving dangers in the unfriendly wilderness. From there, although Manchester's population is more than seventy thousand, the city looks like a small forest pierced by church spires, with factories and long rows of houses extending out in different directions suggestive of a knotted fringe blown irregularly about. Massive mill buildings, having a capacity of manufacturing more than fifty miles of cloth



per hour, press down to drink water from the broad river which is concealed by trees and high banks.

Then, looking beyond and slowly turning around, are seen range after range of mountains seemingly coming out from the dimness of space in glad welcoming, forests in harmonious array of color, white farm-houses nestling under great shade trees surrounded by orchards and fields rich in unharvested products, green pastures with herds of contented-looking cows, roads scattered about like entangled binding threads, limpid lakes giving expression to the landscape as eyes do to the face, the blue sky above where a few floating clouds supply motion to the scene as their shadows flee along to escape the sunshine. It matters not what names these bear. Names pin one down to earth. One stands enraptured, with uplifted soul expanding until in close, harmonious touch with the Creator. It is in such a moment that the fulness of the glory of our inheritance is revealed — and appreciated. (Pardon the digression.)

There are other parks, large and small, many in number, but Stark Park is her pride. In its midst a group of the Stark family graves are neatly enclosed upon the arrested slope of a hill, embowered in lofty trees and overlooking the gently flowing Merrimack. The oldest occupants were the parents of the "hero of Bennington," ARCHIBALD STARK (1689-1750) and his wife, ELEANOR NICHOLS (1680-1740). Near them lie the distinguished MAJOR-GENERAL JOHN STARK (1728-1822) and his wife ELIZABETH PAGE (1734-1794). General Stark's life was an eventful one, and he holds a warm place in our esteem because



of his prominence in attaining our country's independence.

In the Valley Cemetery a large monument was erected in 1868 by Joseph Henry Stickney, of Baltimore, Md., in memory of his great-grandfather, HON. SAMUEL BLODGETT (born April 1, 1724; died Sept. 1, 1807), who was "The Pioneer of internal Improvements in New Hampshire. The Projector and Builder of the Amoskeag Canal." This canal has proven to be the foundation power for present marvellous textile developments.

There is an especially attractive churchyard about four or five miles below the business centre of the city of

### NASHUA.

It is upon a hillside sloping toward the roadway and checked by a high "bank-wall" which gives it an air of aloofness from the present day's frivolities. In one corner is a memorial designating the site of the old church. Elaborate carvings abound, oftentimes to the embarrassment of inscriptions, and "Remember death" occasionally supplants "Memento mori."

From among them two have been selected:

#### "MEMENTO MORI.

Here lies y<sup>e</sup>  
Body of Madam  
Rebecca Blanch  
ard. Relect of  
Joseph Blanchard  
Efq<sup>r</sup> Æ 63 who  
Died April the  
17<sup>th</sup> 1774."

#### "MEMENTO MORI.

Here lies  
Timothy Bancroft  
Jun<sup>r</sup> who de<sup>p</sup> this Life  
Aug<sup>st</sup> 12<sup>th</sup> 1744 In y<sup>e</sup>  
21<sup>st</sup> year of his Age.  
From Deat<sup>hs</sup> <sup>Arrest</sup> no Age is free  
My Frien<sup>ds</sup> Prepare to follow me"

From the epitaphs are proffered:

DEA. JONATHAN BANCROFT, entered eternity July 11.  
1815 a. 64.

*"Surviving friends come take a thought  
How soon the grave must be your lot.  
Make sure of Christ while life remain  
And Death will be eternal gain."*

MR. THOMAS LUND d. Sept y<sup>e</sup> 5<sup>th</sup> 1724, in y<sup>e</sup> 42<sup>d</sup> year of  
his Age.

*"this Man with Seven more  
that lies in this Grave  
was Slew All in A day  
by the Indians."*

A monument was erected by the citizens of Nashua in  
1876 in memory of

"REV THOMAS WELD

Born June 1653

*Settled as the first minister of the church  
in Dunstable Dec. 1685. Probably massacred  
by the Indians while defending the settlement  
June 7. 1702. ÆT 49."*

In early days the town was known as Dunstable.

#### PORTSMOUTH,

the metropolis of our forefathers and most illustrious of  
the early settlements, is rich in famous Colonial mansions  
whose interiors are even more attractive than their ex-  
teriors, so full are they of heirlooms of antique furniture  
with delicate carvings or exquisite inlaid work, of

historic garments, and curious *bric-à-brac*, handed down from those whose graves we are about to visit. The lightning rod upon the Warner house was placed there under the personal supervision of Benjamin Franklin in 1762, and is still in perfect condition. Especially beautiful is the stairway and wainscoting in the historic Ladd house, which the descendants of the original owner have so generously given for the use of the New Hampshire Dames. It is considered eminently fit that the Dames of to-day should have their Manor House in the old capital.

There are several ancient burying-grounds in Portsmouth, but we will glean first from the oldest,

*"The Point of Graves."*

Originally it was a portion of the large estate of JOHN PICKERING, who in 1636 came to Strawberry Bank (the first name of Portsmouth, so called because of the abundance of luscious strawberries). He was an influential man in his day and was buried here in 1669, but there is no trace of his grave.

The earliest record discovered is that of JOHN CLARK. The letter *r* is entirely obliterated, and also the two first figures of 1667, which is doubtless the date of his life's end.

The massive sarcophagus erected by descendants of the VAUGHAN family is well worth studying. Upon the four sides a history of the earlier members is traced, and the crowning headstone is the original one, more than two centuries old. It was a family active in Colonial affairs through several generations. MAJOR WILLIAM VAUGHAN (d. 1719)

was prominent in the first; his son, LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR GEORGE VAUGHAN (1676-1724), in the second; and in the third generation, LIEUTENANT-COLONEL WILLIAM VAUGHAN (1703-1746) projected and successfully led the assaulting column at Louisburg in 1745.

There is a dearth of epitaphs, the only one we have to proffer being upon a large headstone where a skull and cross-bones are prominent. Upon the willow-sheltered urn is inscribed: "In memory of CAPT. TOBIAS LEAR. ob. Nov. 6, 1781, Æ 45," and upon its base:

*"A wit's a feather. A chief a rod.  
An honest man is the noblest work of God."*

CAPTAIN TOBIAS LEAR and his wife ELIZABETH (d. July 21, 1774, a. 58) were parents of Tobias Lear, the highly esteemed private secretary of George Washington.

"Here Lyeth Buried y<sup>e</sup> Body of JOHN JACKSON aged 33 years Dyed Jan. y<sup>e</sup> 26. 1690" is inscribed upon a disk in the centre of a stone having a broad, deeply cut border, and corners filled with cherubs' heads. Indeed, heads wearing a variety of expressions, with drooping or upsoaring wings, as well as the grim death's-head and cross-bones, were favorite features of ancient sepulchral art here. Time's touches do not improve them.

Another of God's chosen spots, nearly as old as the Point of Graves is

*"St. John's Churchyard."*

Within it is "a great silent assemblage of Governors,

councillors, secretaries of the Province and their ladies, with others of less renown." Tombs of the famous ATKINSON, JAFFREY, MARSH, PIERCE, RYMES, SHEAFE, SHERBURNE, and WENTWORTH families, together with others of more recent date, are found here. The mausoleum in the centre is called the GOVERNOR'S TOMB, where the Wentworth governors (with the exception of the last one) repose in death. The REV. ARTHUR BROWNE's body was also laid there.

*"The heart that felt for others woes.  
The earth beneath does not enclose.  
The soul we trust with God at rest,  
Happy now among the blest"*

is the sweet tribute to MRS. ELIZABETH GARDNER, who exchanged mortal for an immortal state July 22, 1818, aged 60.

HON. JOHN LANGDON, LL.D., the first President of our Province and several times Governor, departed this life September 18, 1819, at the age of 78.

*"Of honest stock, courage and wisdom crowned  
The man who still good as he looked was found,  
Whom all its honors to his Country bound,  
Best of the best in his New England home."*

The inscription at the burial-place of MR. PARROTT by the side of his brother, Admiral Parrott, is so uncommon that, although modern, we copy it.

*"Near those dear to him the sensible warm motion of JAMES BRACKETT PARROTT, born Nov. 26. 1817—chilled by death Jan 29. 1890. here thaws and resolves itself back to earth, the common mother of mankind."*

St. John's Church, around which the graves cluster, was erected upon the site of Queen's Chapel, which was built in 1732, and destroyed by fire in 1806. Queen Caroline's gift of two chairs, a handsome Bible, some prayer-books, and a silver communion service for the little chapel, which was named in her honor, were all saved from the flames with the exception of one chair. Entering the church we are courteously shown its choice historic treasures — the massive silver with the royal arms engraved upon each piece, the famous "Vinegar Bible" (one of the four copies extant), fine old vestments too tender from age to be handled, the font of porphyry with its delicate veining, taken from the French by Colonel John Tuf-ton-Mason at the capture of Senegal in 1758, and supposed to be more than a thousand years old. On each Sunday twelve delicious loaves of bread, neatly covered by a napkin, are placed upon the font in conformity to the bequest in the will of COLONEL THEODORE ATKINSON, providing that the income of the legacy should be used in doling out a portion of bread each Lord's day to the poor of the parish. Especially attractive to us are the numerous mural tablets. The first at the right of the chancel is in memory of JAMES SHEAFE:

*"For many years a venerated inhabitant of this town & a constant worshipper in this Church. Endowed with a strong mind cultivated by a liberal education, he adorned every walk of life in which he appeared. A judicious & successful Merchant. A distinguished member in succession of the Legislative Councils of his own State & of the Nation. He was a wise counsellor, a benevolent and useful citizen. An exemplary Christian, and in the various relations of life Upright, Dignified, Honorable & Beloved. He departed this life 5th of Dec. 1829 aged 74 years. His widow & child-*

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*ren, actuated by deep affection & veneration, have erected this memorial."*

Beside it is that of WILLIAM GARDNER, who died April 29, 1834, aged 83. He was

*"An honest man, a friend to this Church, and  
a sincere liberal patriot."*

MATTHEW SHEAFE MARSH, ESQ., who passed into the great beyond June 2, 1814, aged 41, is also remembered with appreciative affection.

At the left of the chancel is a tablet in memory of THOMAS LANGDON ELWYN, ESQUIRE (d. Mch. 22, 1816, a. 48) "distinguished for his acuteness, eloquence and classical accomplishments." He was son-in-law of Governor Langdon.

On the south wall is a flattering tribute to REUBEN SHAPLEY, ESQ., and upon the west wall is the following epitaph for HON. ELIJAH HALL, who was freed from mortal cares June 22, 1830, at the age of 84:

*"As officer of the Ranger under Capt. J Paul Jones; a Merchant; a Representative, Senator and Councillor of this State; As Naval Officer; Member of this Church, and in his other relations he sustained the character of a Patriot and an upright Man."*

Those upon the north wall are non-colonial.

Within Portsmouth's boundary is

#### ODIORNE'S POINT,

a precious spot to New Hampshire dwellers, — our Plymouth Rock as it were, — for there the little band sent from England by the Laconia Company landed in 1623,



and to them belongs the honor of building the first house in our State. The New Hampshire Colonial Dames have erected a handsome monument commemorative of the landing.

The western portion of the well-walled-in enclosure nearby is used as a family burying-ground, but in the remainder are about forty graves "that softly swell — green voiceless waves that will not break though tempest rage." These are designated only by mute, rough stones, but it is comforting to see that the same tender care is bestowed upon all of these unseen abodes, whether they be tenanted by loved ones from the proprietor's own family, or by those who have been unknown through nearly three centuries.

In a desolate corner of an old orchard in the neighboring town of

#### RYE

is one of the most pathetic of all depositories of the dead, where more than a score were placed unmarked save by two cobble-stones, the larger at the head and the smaller at the foot, with no inscription whatever, but powerfully impressive in their suggestiveness. The hearts which held the records so earnestly desired by us have long since ceased to ache, and no legend remains to break the disheartening silence. Kind Dame Nature carefully remembers to keep the stones enriched by delicate mosses.

Just one more mention. We desire to call attention to an object of peculiar interest near the roadway about a mile from the village in



## TAMWORTH

It is an immense boulder eighteen feet high by about forty feet in length and width called

## ORDINATION ROCK.

Its summit gave ample space for the solemn ordination service of REV. SAMUEL HIDDEN to the pastorate of the Tamworth Congregational Church on the 2nd of September, 1792. So faithfully and acceptably did he go in and out among his flock that the tie was severed only by his death February 13th, 1837, at the age of 77. This appropriate epitaph was chosen:

*"He came into a wilderness and left it a beautiful field."*

There is now a marble monument surmounting the boulder and substantial steps by its side.

We wish your first view of the spot might be when it is flooded with the glory of the setting sun's good-night smile, while clouds and sky catch the radiance and add their glow of sympathetic brilliancy. It is like a joyous benediction upon his memory and work.



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## APPENDIX

*[In the following list will be found other names of the Colonial dead of the various towns given, and the burying-ground in which their remains lie.]*

### BEDFORD

#### *"The Old Burying-Ground"*

- Aiken, Capt. James, d. May y<sup>e</sup> 13th, 1787, a. 55.  
Atwood, Isaac, d. March 15, 1836, a. 87 y. 8 m.  
Atwood, Hannah, wife of Isaac, d. Aug. 10, 1798, a. 48.  
Atwood, Lydia, wife of Isaac, d. Oct. 3, 1841, a. 87 y. 7 m.  
Barnett, Francis, d. Oct. 16, 1772, a. 43 y. 6 m.  
Barnett, William, d. April 19, 1776, in y<sup>e</sup> 51 year of his age.  
Barnett, Jean, widow of William, d. May 22, 1778, a. 55.  
Bell, John, d. March 26, 1778, a. 77.  
Bell, Katherine, wife of John, d. Jan. 9, 1746, a. 49.  
Boies, Elder William, d. April 30, 1777, a. 82.  
Caldwell, Mrs. Lettice, wife of James, d. Nov. 20, 1776, a. 73  
Chandler, Thomas, d. Nov. 2. 1784, a. 56.  
Chandler, Zachariah, Esq., d. April 20, 1830, a. 79.  
Chandler, Sarah, wife of Z., d. Nov. 30, 1842, a. 93 y. 8 m.  
Darrah, Lieut. James, d. Feb. 27, 1829, a. 74.  
Darrah, Sarah, wife of James, d. May 7, 1836, a. 82.  
Dickey, Mrs. Jane, d. Jan. 15, 1815, a. 74.  
Dunlap, Major John, d. Jan. y<sup>e</sup> 12, A.D. 1792, a. 45.  
Dunlap, Martha, wife of John, d. Oct. 30, 1812, a. 66.  
Gilmor, Elder Robert, d. April 14, 1778, in the 68 year of his age.  
Gilmor, Margaret, wife of Elder Robert (no dates).  
Goffe, John, Esquire, d. Aug. 9, 1748, a. 69.  
Goffe, Hannah, wife of Esq. John, d. Jan. 28, 1748, a. 74.  
Goffe, Col. John, Esq., d. Oct. 20, 1786, a. 85 y. 7 m.  
Goffe, Hannah, wife of John, d. May 18, 1798, a. 95 y. 7 m.  
Goffe, Major John, d. Feb. 3, 1813, a. 85.  
Goffe, Jemima, wife of Major John, d. Sept. 11, 1818, a. 90.  
Gould, Jean, wife of Daniel, d. Jan. 25, 1704, a. 32 y. 11 m. 12d.

Houston, Rev. John, d. Feb. 3, 1798, a. 75.

Houston, Anna, wife of Rev. John, d. July 4, 1798, a. 72.

Little, Matthew, d. June 17, 1775, a. 72.

McAlaster, Ann, wife of Richard, d. March 12, 1776, a. 66.

McDuffee, Matthew, d. April 15, 1799, a. 78.

McDuffee, Susanna, wife of Matthew, d. Dec. 9, 1799, a. 68.

McQuigg, Mildred, wife of John, d. April 14, 1788, a. 77.

Moor, Lieut. John, d. Sept. y<sup>e</sup> 25, 1779, in the 74 year of his age.

Moor, Margaret, wife of Lieut. John (no dates).

Moor, Elder William, d. Feb. 17, 1789, a. 71.

Moor, Mary, widow of Elder William (no dates).

Moor, Col. Daniel, d. April 13, 1811, a. 82.

Moor, Ann, wife of Daniel, Feb. 14, 1804, a. 75.

Moor, Peter, negro servant of Elder Wm. Moor, d. July 9, 1790,  
a. 39.

Morehead, John, d. Sept. 24, 1752, a. 74.

Morehead, Agnes, wife of John, d. May 2, 1753, a. 77.

Morrison, Mary, wife of Samuel (of Londonderry), d. Jan. 29,  
1764, a. 66.

Orr, Sarah, relict of Hon. John, d. Feb. 15, 1828, a. 67.

Orr, Elder John, d. May y<sup>e</sup> 8, 1753, in the 60 year of his age.

Orr, Margaret, wife of Elder John, d. May 19, 1753, a. 45.

Patten, John, d. April, 1746, a. 75.

Patten, Hon. Matthew, son of John, d. Aug. 27, 1795, a. 77.

Patton, Capt. Samuel, d. April 23, 1792, a. 77.

Patton, Mary, wife of Sam'l, d. May, 1816, a. 95.

Patton, Mrs. Mary, d. Oct. 21, 1764, a. 81.

Peebles, Robert, d. Sept. 3, 1772, a. 97.

Peebles, Sarah, wife of Robert, d. Nov. 15, 1760, a. 82.

Ridel, John, d. July 16, 1757, a. 48.

Scobey, Josiah, d. Feb. 9, 1803, in the 87 year of his age.

Scobey, Mary, wife of Josiah, d. Jan. 25, 1796, a. 83.

Thomas, Lieut. Joseph, d. Feb. 8, 1796, a. 65.

Thomas, Huldah, wife of Lieut. Joseph, d. Sept. 26, 1848, a. 91 y.  
5 m.

Vose, Lieut. Samuel, d. June 7, 1799, a. 69.

Vose, Lieut. James, d. Oct. 5, 1808, in the 75 year of his age.

Walker, Andrew, d. Dec. 17, 1828, a. 74.

Walker, Mrs. Rebecca, relict of Elder Robt., d. Sept. 11, 1798,  
a. 75.

Wallace, Thomas, d. Jan. 6, 1776, a. 73.

Wallace, Jean, wife of Thomas, d. Feb. 22, 1761, in the 60 year  
of age.

Wallace, Mrs. Margaret, d. May 28, 1814, a. 74.

Wallace, William, d. May 28, 1811, a. 74.

White, Elizabeth, wife of William, d. Aug. 1, 1771, a. 35.

### BETHLEHEM

Blandin, Jonathan, d. Aug. 6, 1849, a. 96 y. 6 m.

Blandin, Submit, wife of Jonathan, d. Feb. 23, 1851, a. 86.

Burt, Simon, d. 1819, a. 70.

Burt, Mary, wife of Simon, d. 1838, a. 89.

Knight, Capt. Thomas, d. Nov. 10, 1832, a. 91.

Knight, Sarah, wife of Capt. Thomas, d. March 22, 1837, a. 89.

### CHESTER

Akin, Mr. John, d. Dec. 1750, a. 38.

Blunt, Capt. Jonathan, d. May 24, 1762, a. 53.

Bradley, Mr. Josiah, d. May 2, 1778, a. 32.

Chase, Jacob, Esq<sup>r</sup>., d. 1803, a. 76. Early settler.

Colby, Mrs. Anna, confort of Mr. Jethro, d. Aug. 8, 1793, a. 51.

Dearborn, Mr. Ebenezer, d. March 15, 1772, a. 92.

Dearborn, Mrs. Abigail, d. Feb. 28, 1768, a. 85.

Dearborn, Mr. Thomas, d. Jan. 8, 1754, a. 37.

Dickey, Mr. John, d. April 30, 1779, a. 79.

Dickey, Mrs. Margaret, his relict, d. July 4, 1787, a. 88.

Edwards, Dinah, d. Nov. 12, 1827, a. about 80.

Fitts, Lieut. Nathan, d. Jan. 29, 1781, a. 42.

Forsaith, Dea. Matthew, d. Sept. 1791, a. 90. Early settler.

French, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Dea. Nath<sup>l</sup>, formerly wife of Lieut.

Nathan Fitts, d. June 18, 1831, a. 84 y. 9 mo.

French, Jabez, d. Oct. 6, 1806, a. 85. Early settler.

Glien, Mr. Thomas, d. March 18, 1744, a. 43.

Glien, Mrs. Jean, d. March 19, 1756, a. 87.

Hall, Dea. Jonathan, d. 1809, a. 93.

Hills, Mr. Benjamin, d. Nov. 3, 1762, a. 78.

Hills, Rebekah, wife of Mr. Benjamin, d. Sept. 4, 1769, a. 78.

Hills, Dea. Benjamin, d. May 6, 1801, a. 80.

Hills, Eleanor, wife of Dea. Benjamin, d. Jan. 2, 1814, a. 85.

Karr, Mr. Joseph, d. July 3, 1783.

Karr, John, d. Oct. 22, 1782, a. 72.

Karr, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of John, d. Sept. 2, 1781, a. 75.

Karr, Mr. Mark, d. July 26, 1782, a. 38.

Lufkin, Mr. Stephen, d. July 9, 1803, a. 71.

Lufkin, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Mr. Stephen, d. June 27, 1788,  
a. 46

Melvin, Benjamin, d. 1802, a. 69. Early settler.

Moor, Mr. John, d. July 2, 1747, a. 53.

Moss, Capt. Abel, d. April 20, 1763, a. 70.

Moss, Grace, wife of Capt. Abel, d. 1755.

Robie, Mr. John, d. March 9, 1788, a. 75.

Robie, Mrs. Ann, wife of Mr. John, d. May 20, 1755, a. 42.

Sargent, Ensin Jacob, d. April 6, 1749, a. 61.

Sargent, Winthrop, d. Dec. 1788, a. 78.

Sargent, Phebe Ely, wife of Winthrop, d. Nov. 1806, a. 90.  
Swain, Mrs. Mary, consort of Jonathan, Esq., formerly wife of  
Mr. Isaac Blaisdell, d. Dec. 6, 1795, a. 55.

Towle, Mr. Isaac, d. Aug. 27, 1791, a. 56.

Underhill, Mr. Hezekiah, d. March 8, 1800, a. 73. Early settler.

Webster, John, Esq., d. Sept. 16, 1784, a. 70.

Webster, Mrs. Hannah, wife of Mr. John, d. Nov. 20, 1760,  
a. 44.

White, William, d. 1829, a. 89. Early settler.

Wilson, Mr. John, d. March 8, 1837, a. 76.

Wilson, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of Mr. John, d. Sept. 29, 1834, a. 76.

## CHICHESTER

Carpenter, Rev. Josiah, pastor of Congregational Church for  
40 years, d. March 1, 1851, a. 88 y. 4 m.

Carpenter, Hannah Morrill, wife of Rev. Josiah, d. Feb. 21, 1847,  
a. 80 y. 2 m.

Seavey, William, d. March 10, 1809, a. 85.

Seavey, Ruth Moses, wife of William, d. April 15, 1798, a. 66.

## DERRY

*(Many of the following names and also those in Londonderry cemeteries were culled out, by permission, from Willey's "Book of Nutfield.")*

### *Forest Hill Cemetery.*

Adams, Edmund, d. Jan. 18, 1825, a. 84.

Adams, Hannah, his wife, d. Sept. 14, 1807, a. 66.

Adams, James, d. Sept. 15, 1781, a. 71.

Adams, Sarah, his wife, d. Sept. 6, 1778, a. 59.

Adams, Robert, d. Feb. 16, 1778, a. 78.

Adams, William, d. Nov. 1, 1761, a. 72.

Adams, Mary, his wife, d. Oct. 15, 1755, a. 61.

Adams, Lieut. James, d. March 11, 1781, a. 56.

- Adams, Capt. Jonathan, d. March 20, 1820, a. 91.  
Adams, Sarah, his wife, d. Feb. 28, 1817, a. 83.  
Aiken, Elder James, d. Jan. 9, 1830, a. 91.  
Aiken, Elizabeth, his wife, d. May 14, 1793, a. 52.  
Aiken, Jane, his wife, d. March 28, 1831, a. 72.  
Aiken, Eleanor, dau. of Nathaniel and Margaret, d. Jan. 17, 1753, a. 23.  
Aiken, Edward, d. Nov. 15, 1747, a. 86.  
Aiken, Barbara, his wife, d. Aug. 3, 1744, a. 83.  
Alexander, James, d. April 25, 1809, a. 82.  
Alexander, Jenny, his wife, d. Feb. 2, 1811, a. 74.  
Alexander, David, d. Aug. 1, 1746, a. 19.  
Alexander, Robert, d. June 11, 1761, a. 46.  
Alexander, Randal, d. Oct. 13, 1773, a. 83.  
Alexander, Elizabeth, wife of John, d. July 2, 1804, a. 65.  
Allison, Samuel, d. Sept. 6, 1760, a. 70.  
Allison, Katherine, his wife, d. Jan. 13, 1760, a. 70.  
Allison, Capt. Samuel, son of above, d. June 5, 1794, a. 70.  
Anderson, Allen, d. Sept. 17, 1755, a. 67.  
Anderson, Mary, his wife, d. Sept. 9, 1760, a. 66.  
(Both the above names on one horizontal slab well preserved.)  
Anderson, James, d. Jan. 25, 1781, a. 88.  
Anderson, Agnes, wife of James, d. Feb. 5, 1767, a. 39.  
Archibald, Mr. John, d. Nov. 15, 1728, a. 34.  
Archibald, Ann, wife of Robert, d. April 3, 1768, a. 37.  
Archibald, John, d. Aug. 10, 1751, a. 58.
- Banks, Martha, wife of Samuel, d. April 30, 1768, a. 65.  
Barber, Mary, d. Oct. 24, 1762, a. 67.  
Barnett, John, d. Oct. 8, 1740, a. 86.  
Barnett, Sarah, wife of John, Jr., d. Jan. 28, 1760, a. 24.  
Barnett, Margaret, dau. of John and Jean, d. Sept. 17, 1751, a. 55.  
Barnett, Robert, d. Feb. 24, 1772, a. 39.  
Barnett, Jean, wife to Mr. John, d. April 4, 1773, a. 75.  
Barr, John, d. July 9, 1731, a. 82.  
Barr, Mary, his wife, d. Nov. 16, 1737, a. 66.  
Barr, Mary, wife of Samuel, d. June 19, 1750, a. 36.  
Boyes, Robert, d. April 21, 1768, a. 77.  
Boyes, Jane Clark, his wife, d. 1730, a. 35.



Boyes, Margaret, dau. of Robert and Sarah, d. Oct. 8, 1775,  
a. 25.

Burnside, David, d. Oct. 10, 1757, a. 41.

Campbell, John, d. March 11, 1759, a. 34.

Campbell, Mary, his wife, d. Aug. 8, 1763, a. 55.

Campbell, Margaret, dau. of Thomas and Jean, d. Jan. 3, 1748,  
a. 13.

Campbell, Jean, wife of Thomas, d. May 19, 1756, a. 64.

Cargill, Elder David, d. April 3, 1734, a. 73.

Cargill, Jennet, his wife, d. Oct. 5, 1745, a. 81.

Chambers, William, d. Aug. 21, 1757, a. 56.

Chapman, John, d. Aug. 10, 1785, a. 43.

Christy, Jesse, d. Aug. 8, 1739, a. 67.

Christy, Mary, his wife, d. Dec. 24, 1776, a. 79.

Christy, Peter, d. Jan. 11, 1753, a. 43.

Christy, Thomas, d. June 30, 1780, a. 92.

Christy, Martha, his wife, d. Dec. 11, 1780, a. 46.

Christy, Sarah, his wife, d. Aug. 28, 1763, a. 39.

Clark, Rev. Matthew, d. Feb. 27, 1735, a. 76.

Clark, James, d. Oct. 13, 1768, a. 77.

Clark, Elizabeth, his wife, d. July 9, 1732, a. 35.

Clark, Mary, his wife, d. April 9, 1762, a. 63.

Clark, Jennet, wife of Samuel, d. April 15, 1833, a. 85.

Clark, Sarah, wife of Samuel, d. May 1, 1776, a. 32.

Clark, Samuel, d. Aug. 9, 1790, a. 52.

Clark, John, d. May 31, 1806, a. 69.

Clark, Robert, d. April 20, 1775, a. 65.

Clark, Letitia, his wife, d. June 16, 1784, a. 76.

Clark, Jane, wife of Alexander, d. Sept. 25, 1778, a. 67.

Clark, Matthew, d. Jan. 22, 1805, a. 72.

Clark, Margaret, his wife, d. Dec. 15, 1805, a. 73.

Cochran, Abigail, d. Jan. 8, 1762, a. 65.

Cochran, Lieut. Robert, d. June 8, 1752, a. 48.

Cochran, Elizabeth, wife of John, d. April 5, 1756, a. 31.

Cochran, Dinah, d. Aug. 11, 1819, a. 84.

Cochran, Ann, Mrs., d. April 24, 1786, a. 55.

Cochran, John, d. March 10, 1747, a. 29.

Cochran, James, d. Feb. 17, 1799, a. 85.

- Cochran, John, d. Feb. 17, 1799, a. 66.  
Cochran, William, d. June 14, 1774, a. 69.  
Cochran, Elizabeth, his wife, dau. of Elder James Reid, d. April 1, 1756, a. 30.  
Cochran, Mary, his wife, dau. of Moses Barnard, d. Feb. 12, 1794, a. 60.  
Cochran, Christine, Mrs., d. April 14, 1734, a. 33.  
Cochran, Robert, d. Jan. 17, 1734, a. 45.  
Cochran, Peter, d. Dec. 25, 1722, a. 96.  
Cochran, Janet, dau., d. April 6, 1760, a. 85.  
Craig, Hannah, d. March 18, 1847, a. 81.  
Craig, Grisel, wife of Alexander, d. June 8, 1756, a. 48.  
Craig, David, d. Feb. 2, 1747, a. 58.  
Crombie, Rebecca, wife of William, d. May 14, 1752, a. 30.  
Crombie, John, d. (in Dublin), Nov. 9, 1811, a. 84.  
Crombie, Rebecca, his wife, d. Dec. 21, 1792, a. 57.  
Crombie, John, d. Sept. 25, 1772, a. 75.  
Crombie, Jane, his wife, d. Aug. 8, 1772, a. 76.  
Cross, John, d. Dec. 11, 1825, a. 84.  
Cross, Mrs. Lucy, wife of Mr. John, d. Sept. 1, 1818, a. 78.  
Cummings, Anne, wife of Alexander, celebrated physician of this town, d. Nov. 16, 1770, a. 86.  
Cummings, Frances Davidson, dau. of Dr. Alexander and Anne Cummings; relict of the Rev. William Davidson, eminent divine of Londonderry, d. Sept. 3, 1790, a. 86.  
(These two inscriptions are on a large horizontal slab of dark stone.)  
Cunningham, William, d. March 1, 1777, a. 34.  
Cunningham, Archibald, d. Sept. 8, 1755, a. 41.  
Cunningham, Jeannette, his wife, d. March 1, 1791, a. 90.

Davidson.

*"Here lies buried the body of Reverend William Davidson who died Feb. 15, 1797, in the 77th year of his age and the 51st of his ministry."*

- Dickey, Matthew, d. Oct. 3, 1802, a. 74.  
Dickey, Janet, his wife, d. July 12, 1808, a. 75.  
Dickey, Margaret, wife of John, d. Feb. 16, 1742, a. 43.  
Dinsmoor, David, d. Jan. 31, 1776, a. 59.  
Dinsmoor, Samuel, d. Nov. 2, 1753, a. 21.  
Dinsmoor, Lieut. Robert, d. Oct. 14, 1751, a. 58.

Dinsmoor, Margaret, his wife, d. June 2, 1752, a. 61.

Dodge, David, d. Oct. 10, 1763, a. 59.

Eayers, William, d. Nov. 12, 1760, a. 60.

Eayers, Susanna Tolford, wife of William, d. July 28, 1758, a. 22.

Eayers, Rebecca, wife of William, d. Sept. 15, 1792, a. 48.

Ewins, Agnes, wife of James, d. Jan. 6, 1742, a. 37.

Ewins, James, d. June 26, 1781, a. 70.

Ewins, Agnes, dau. of James and Agnes, d. Jan. 25, 1782, a. 47.

Fisher, Agnes, wife of Dea. Samuel, d. April 17, 1747, a. 21.

Fulton, James, of Chester, d. Sept. 19, 1754, a. 48.

Fulton, Elizabeth, wife of Robert, her infant in her arms, and two children buried at her side, d. March 3, 1763, a. 31.

Gilmor, William, d. May y<sup>e</sup> 9<sup>th</sup>, 1753, a. 67.

Gilmor, William, d. March y<sup>e</sup> 7<sup>th</sup>, 1747, a. 26.

Gilmore.

*"In memory of Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of Robert, who died Sept. 1783. Aet. 70."*

*(on the same stone)*

*"Mr. William Gilmore, died Feb. 18, 1831. Aet. 79."*

Gilmore, Ann, wife of Mr. James, d. Sept. 29, 1755, a. 21.

Given, Robert, d. July 13, 1741, a. 61.

Gordon, William, d. April 8, 1753, a. 33.

Gregg, Barbara, wife of Col. William, d. July 31, 1766, a. 33.

Gregg, Lieut. Samuel, d. Oct. 1, 1778, a. 73.

Gregg, Capt. John, d. Feb. 28, 1789, a. 87.

Gregg, Agnes, his wife, d. Oct. 7, 1743, a. 36.

Gregg, Rosanna, his wife, d. April 14, 1789, a. 67.

*(The above three on horizontal slab together.)*

Gregg, William, d. May 10, 1752, a. 57.

Gregg, Margaret, wife of Mr. James, d. July y<sup>e</sup> 11<sup>th</sup>, 1788, a. 56.

Holmes, Abraham, d. May 20, 1753, a. 70.

Holmes, Grisel, his wife, d. Feb. 21, 1788, a. 78.

Holmes, Nathaniel, d. Sept. 25, 1764, a. 45.

Holmes, Lieut. John, d. Nov. 2, 1794, a. 47.

Holmes, Martha, his wife, d. Sept. 5, 1778, a. 25.

- Hopkins, Naomi, d. April 2, 1753, a. 21.  
 Houston, Samuel, d. Sept. 25, 1757, a. 65.  
 Houston, Martha, d. May 21, 1755, a. 22.  
 Humphrey, Mrs. Mary, d. Feb. 4, 1763, a. 81.  
 Humphrey, William, d. Dec. 25, 1767, a. 81.  
 Hunter, James, son of John and Agnes, d. May 11, 1764, a. 14.  
 Hunter, Jemima, and Robert.  
*"Erected in memory of Mrs. Jemina Hunter, wife of Mr. Robert Hunter, who departed this life March ye 29th, 1774. In the 29th year of her age."*  
*"Likewise in memory of Robert Hunter, who died at Danbury, in the Sarvice of his Country, 1778, in the 36 year of his age."*
- Jack, Samuel, d. March 26, 1793, a. 43.
- Karr, John, d. Nov. 2, 1765, a. 20.  
 Karr, John, d. Nov. 16, 1750, a. 48.  
 Karr, John, d. Oct. 2, 1784, a. 52.  
 Karr, Mary, relict of John, d. Feb. 2, 1834, a. 95.  
 Karr, Agnes, dau. of John and Mary, d. Aug. 30, 1800, a. 28.  
 Karr, Agnes, sister of John, d. Feb. 2, 1817, a. 92.  
 (The above 4 on large slate stone, urn and weeping willow at top.)  
 Karr, William, d. March 23, 1754, a. 62.  
 Kelso, Alexander, d. Sept. 15, 1775, a. 52.  
 Kelso, Ann, his wife, d. Sept. 4, 1754, a. 45.  
 Kelso, William, d. May 10, 1769, a. 69.  
 Kelso, John, d. March 9, 1774, a. 49.
- Lindsay, James, d. June 17, 1774, a. 94.  
 Lindsay, Martha, his wife, footstone (no dates).  
 Logan, Robert, d. May 16, 1762, a. 37.
- Maller, Hannah, wife of James, d. Aug. 12, 1751, a. 32.  
 Martin, Lucy, wife of Capt. Jacob, d. July 20, 1787, a. 44.  
 Marsh, Ephraim, d. Oct. 16, 1760, a. 50.  
 McCartmey, Alexander, d. Dec. 4, 1748, a. 80.  
 McCartmey, Martha, his wife, d. April 21, 1769 (age obliterated).  
 McCartmey, Katrine, d. Sept. 1, 1754, a. 53.  
 McFarland, Andrew, d. Sept. 18, 1754, a. 20.

- McFarland, Robert, d. April 14, 1806, a. 74.  
McFarland, Mary, his wife, d. Sept. 26, 1829, a. 81.  
McGregor, James, son of Rev. James, d. June 1, 1776, a. 53.  
McGregor, Mary, his wife, d. Nov. 13, 1775, a. 63.  
McGregor, Robert, son of Rev. David, d. Dec. 16, 1816, a. 67.  
McGregor, Elizabeth, his wife, and dau. of Gen. George Reid, d. March 5, 1847, a. 81.  
McGregor, James, son of Rev. David, d. June 28, 1818, a. 70.  
McGregor, Margaret, his wife, d. Dec. 13, 1840, a. 88.  
McGregor, Rev. Mr. James, d. March 5, 1729, a. 52.  
McGregor, Mrs. Maryanne, his wife, d. Jan. 1, 1736, a. 62.  
McGregor, Rev. David, son of Rev. James, d. May 30, 1777, a. 68.  
McGregor, Mary, his wife, d. Sept. 28, 1793, a. 70.  
McKeen, Mrs. Elizabeth, wife of James, d. April y<sup>e</sup> 22, 1752, a. 26.  
McKeen, Mr. John, d. Oct. 9, 1793, a. 79.  
McKeen, Mrs. Mary, relict of Elder John, d. June 22, 1798, a. 78.  
McKeen, James, Esq., principal proprietor and first magistrate, d. 1767, a. 75.  
McMurphy, Alexander, d. Jan. 8, 1763, a. 33.  
McMurphy, Archibald, d. Feb. 19, 1816, a. 71.  
McMurphy, Isabella Ald, his wife, d. Oct. 7, 1830, a. 84.  
McMurphy, Robert, Esq., d. Jan. 26, 1814, a. 91.  
McMurphy, Jane Shirley, his wife, d. Jan. 31, 1804, a. 84.  
McMurphy, James, d. May 30, 1792, a. 57.  
McMurphy, Mary Wilson, his wife, d. May 10, 1818, a. 79.  
McMurphy, "Squire" John, member of the General Court for more than thirty years, d. at Portsmouth, Sept. 21, 1755, a. 73.  
McMurphy, Mary his wife, d. Nov. 19, 1770, a. 87.  
McNeill, Daniel, d. March 11, 1782, a. 46.  
McNeill, Alexander, d. June 2, 1751, a. 56.  
McNeill, Hannah, wife of John, d. Aug. 2, 1755, a. 23.  
Miltimore, James, d. Feb. 4, 1794, a. 77.  
Miltimore, Elizabeth, his wife, d. Aug. 9, 1789, a. 64.  
Mitchell, Ann, wife of Samuel, d. June 5, 1753, a. 71.  
Mitchell, Capt. John, d. Aug. 10, 1776, a. 80.  
Mitchell, Eleanor, his wife, d. March 16, 1771, a. 74.  
Montgomery, Lieut. Hugh, d. Jan. 4, 1800, a. 60.  
Montgomery, Peggy, his wife, d. June 5, 1791, a. 38.

- Montgomery, Robert, d. July 15, 1775, a. 80.  
Montgomery, Rebecca, his wife, d. March 20, 1769, a. 66.  
Montgomery, Elizabeth, dau. of John and Mary, d. Oct. 9, 1767,  
a. 15.  
Moor, Mary Ann, wife of Capt. John, d. April 15, 1766, a. 38.  
Moor, James, d. Sept. 30, 1755, a. 49.  
Moor, James, d. Sept. 7, 1775, a. 28.  
Moor, Col. Robert, d. Oct. 25, 1778, a. 52.  
Moor, John, d. Jan. 24, 1774, a. 91.  
Moor, Jenet, his wife, d. Mar. 8, 1776, a. 89.  
Moor, William, d. Jan. 1, 1739, a. 59.  
Moor, George, d. Oct. 25, 1782, a. 64.  
Moor, Jane, d. Dec. 1, 1815, a. 90.  
Moor, Mary, wife of Samuel, d. April 8, 1733, a. 72.  
Moor, Dea. Robert, d. April 4, 1796, a. 72.  
Moor, Mrs. Lettia, his wife, d. March 11, 1775, a. 41.  
Morrison, Ann, wife of Capt. John, d. Feb. 3, 1786, a. 64.  
Morrison, David, d. March 28, 1755, a. 88.  
Morrison, Mary Ann, his wife, d. Jan. 9, 1751, a. 70.  
Morrison, Samuel, d. Sept. 29, 1757, a. 76.  
Morrison, Margaret, his wife, d. April 30, 1774, a. 90.  
Morrison, Samuel, d. March 15, 1775, a. 43.  
Morrison, Deacon Halbert, d. June 6, 1753, a. 70.  
Morrison, Deacon David, d. Feb. 24, 1825, a. 95.  
Morrison, Elizabeth, his wife, d. Dec. 1, 1816, a. 77.  
Morrison, Mary, wife of Thomas, d. Feb. 26, 1760, a. 24.  
Morrison, Samuel, d. Oct. 25, 1752, a. 17.  
Morrison, Mrs. Jean, d. Oct. 19, 1753, a. 53.  
Morrison, Thomas, d. April 2, 1804, a. 57.  
Morrison, Deacon Samuel, d. June 21, 1802, a. 92.  
Morrison, Jennet, his wife, d. Jan. 8, 1800, a. 87.  
Morrison, Elder Robert, d. Feb. 7, 1794, a. 80.  
Morrison, William, d. Feb. 28, 1788, a. 62.  
Morrison, Joseph, d. April 16, 1814, a. 72.  
Morrow, Mrs. Elizabeth, d. Sept. 17, 1728, a. 56.  
Morse, Dr. Moody, d. May 7, 1830, a. 90.

Neal, John, d. Nov. 21, 1788, a. 45.

Nesmith, Jane, wife of Deacon James, d. Feb. 28, 1822, a. 82.



- Nesmith, Thomas, d. Nov. 30, 1789, a. 58.  
Nesmith, Annia Wilson, his wife, d. Jan. 4, 1824, a. 82.  
Nesmith, James, d. 1767, a. 75 y. One of the first settlers of Londonderry.  
Nicholls, Mrs. Ann, wife of William, d. Nov. 6, 1758, a. 58.  
Nowell, Capt. Nathaniel, d. Feb. 6, 1832, a. 87.  
Nowell, Jane, his wife, d. March 4, 1839, a. 92.
- Orr, William, d. Aug. 4, 1775, a. 67.  
Orr, Jean, his wife, d. March 29, 1799, a. 78.
- Palmer, Elder James, d. Feb. 18, 1829, a. 94.  
Palmer, Mary, his wife, d. Oct. 9, 1818, a. 83.  
Park, Mrs. Margaret, wife of Alexander, d. May 11, 1752, a. 74.  
Patten, John, d. June 14, 1786, a. 59.  
Patten, Jane, his wife, d. Sept. 13, 1813, a. 84.  
Patterson, Samuel, d. Aug. 1, 1755, a. 59.  
Prentice, Hon. John, d. May 18, 1808, a. 61.  
Prentice, Ruth, his first wife, d. July 20, 1791, a. 42.  
Prentice, Tabitha, his second wife, d. Aug. 21, 1806, a. 37.  
Proctor, Joseph, d. March 23, 1824, a. 73.  
Proctor, Hannah, his wife, d. March 22, 1807, a. 58.  
Proctor, Eunice, his second wife, d. Oct. 14, 1827, a. 69.
- Ramsey, Hugh, d. Nov. 11, 1787, a. 60.  
Ramsey, Lydia, his wife, d. Dec. 23, 1763, a. 36.  
Rankin, Mary, wife of William, d. Oct. 30, 1756, a. 22.  
Rankin, Hugh, d. Jan. 6, 1755, a. 81.  
Rankin, Agnes, dau. of Alexander and Mary, d. June 12, 1751, a. 24.  
Reid, General George, d. Sept. 17, 1815, a. 82.  
Reid, Mary, his wife, d. April 7, 1825, a. 88.  
Reid, John, d. Feb. 12, 1803, a. 58.  
Reid, James, d. Nov. 1, 1755, a. 60.  
Reid, Mary, his wife, d. Feb. 8, 1775, a. 76.  
Reynolds, Col. Daniel, d. Dec. 13, 1795, a. 53.  
Reynolds, Hannah, his wife, d. Jan. 23, 1829, a. 83.  
Rogers, Robert the Ranger, and two other stones illegible.  
Rogers, David, son of Capt. James, d. Nov. 2, 1766, a. 4.

Rogers, Hugh, d. March 24, 1763, a. 80.  
Rogers, Jean, his wife, d. Feb. 28, 1756, a. 63.  
Rogers, Jean, their dau., d. Jan. 19, 1755, a. 22.  
Rolfe, Joseph, d. July 1, 1781, a. 53.  
Rolfe, Anna, his wife, d. Aug. 23, 1826, a. 88.

Scobey, Mrs. Alice, d. Aug. 29, 1753, a. 29.  
Smith, Andrew, large horizontal slab, d. Sept. 30, 1757, a. 26.  
Smith, James, Sr., large horizontal slab, d. Sept. 16, 1753, a. 70.  
Smith, James Jr., large horizontal slab, d. May 30, 1748, a. 25.  
Smith, Samuel, large horizontal slab, d. May 19, 1752, a. 33.

(These four slabs and names are notable.)

Steele, Thomas, d. Feb. 22, 1748, a. 65.  
Steele, Martha, his wife, d. Oct. 29, 1759, a. 73.  
Steele, Thomas, d. Oct. 12, 1756, a. 25.  
Steele, Samuel, d. Dec. 8, 1761, a. 32.  
Steele, Margaret, wife of James, d. March 1, 1760, a. 31.  
Stewart, Jane, wife of John, d. March 8, 1773, a. 59.  
Stinson, Robert, d. Jan. 24, 1776, a. 21.  
Stinson, John, d. Feb. 6, 1785, a. 89.  
Stinson, Mary, his wife, d. Oct. 4, 1793, a. 90.  
Stuard, John, d. April 6, 1741, a. 60.  
Stuard, Mary, dau. of John and Elizabeth, d. Nov. 7, 1737, a. 25.  
(Above two names on large horizontal slab.)

Taylor, Samuel, d. June 1, 1803, a. 58.  
Taylor, Sarah, his wife, d. Nov. 1, 1772, a. 20.  
Taylor, Eunice, his second wife, d. Sept. 1, 1833, a. 84.  
Taylor, Capt. Adam, d. April 13, 1806, a. 69.  
Taylor, Mary, his wife, d. Aug. 25, 1812, a. 70.  
Taylor, Matthew, d. Jan. 12, 1770, a. 80.  
Thom, Dr. Isaac, physician in Londonderry, d. Nov. 7, 1754, a. 79.  
Thom, Persis, his wife, d. June 23, 1821, a. 71.  
Thompson, Benjamin, d. Jan. 17, 1759, a. 44.  
Thompson, William, d. July 19, 1783, a. 54.  
Thompson, Naomi Scobey, his wife, d. Aug. 20, 1803, a. 63.  
Thompson, Rev. Thomas, pastor 5 years, d. Sept. 22, 1738, a. 33.  
Thornton, James, d. Nov. 7, 1754, a. 70.



Todd, Rachel, d. Aug. 18, 1745, a. 83.

Todd, Lieut. John, d. May 26, 1758, a. 23.

Todd, Mary, dau. of Capt. James and Elizabeth, d. Oct. 15, 1775, a. 8.

Vance, John, d. March 28, 1777, a. 82.

Vance, Sarah, his wife, d. April 19, 1778, a. 73.

Walker, Elder Robert, d. Oct. 10, 1777, a. 69.

Walker, Col. Seth, Rev. Soldier and register of deeds, d. Oct. 8, 1832, a. 82.

Walker, Temperance, wife of Col. Seth, d. April 30, 1841, a. 83.

Wallace, Lieut. William, d. Nov. 16, 1805, a. 80.

Wallace, Hanah, his wife, d. Aug. 17, 1814, a. 90.

Wallace, Robert, d. April 9, 1818, a. 88.

Wallace, Agnes, his wife, d. June 13, 1774, a. 35.

Wallace, George, d. Jan. 25, 1776, a. 30.

Wilson, Capt. Robert, d. May 14, 1825, a. 92.

Wilson, Jean, his wife, d. Feb. 13, 1792, a. 49.

Wilson, James, father of Capt. Robert, d. April 15, 1777, a. 74.

Wilson, Elizabeth, d. Sept. 17, 1756, a. 64.

Wilson, William, d. July 20, 1773, a. 22.

Wilson, Samuel, d. Oct. 20, 1778, a. 33.

Wilson, George, son of James and Janet, d. May 29, 1747, a. 19.

Wilson, James, d. Feb. 2, 1761, a. 28.

Wilson, Thomas, d. Nov. 1, 1752 (age not legible).

Wilson, Grisel, his wife, d. May 5, 1753, a. 66.

Wilson, Alexander, d. March 4, 1752, a. 93.

Wilson, James, d. June 30, 1772, a. 72.

Wilson, Jennet, his wife, d. Jan. 1, 1800, a. 97.

(Her descendants are 13 children, 91 grandchildren, 146 great-grandchildren, about 250 in all.)

Woodburn, John, d. Nov. 22, 1780, a. 89.

Wright, John, d. Dec. 3, 1775, a. 72.

Wright, Isabel, dau. of John and Agnes, d. April 24, 1768, a. 29.

Yong, Margaret, wife of Hugh, d. Oct. 6, 1761, a. 75.

## DOVER

- Baker, Alexander Douglas, d. Sept. 23, 1756, a. 26.  
Belknap, Mr. Joseph, d. Aug. 30, 1797, a. 81.  
Belknap, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Mr. Joseph, d. Oct. 12, 1784, a. 69.
- Clark, Adam, d. Aug. 15, 1804, a. 67.  
Cogswell, Col. Amos, son of Nathaniel and Judith Badger Cogswell, d. Jan. 28, 1826, a. 73.
- Drew, Mr. Joseph, d. Feb. 9, 1824, a. 77.
- Emerson, Mr. Samuel, d. May 14, 1797, a. 44.
- Gage, Mr. Jonathan, d. Oct. 14, 1800, a. 66.  
Gage, Mrs. Rebecca, consort of Mr. Jonathan, d. March 30, 1806, a. 67.
- Ham, Mr. Benjamin, d. March 28, 1756, a. 30.  
Ham, Lieut. John, d. Jan. 11, 1754, a. 83.  
Ham, Elizabeth, wife of Lieut. John, d. Aug. 1, 1739, a. 60.  
Ham, Mr. Nathaniel, d. July 25, 1753, a. 43.  
Ham, Elizabeth, daughter of Nathaniel, d. Sept. 14, 1809, a. 70.  
Ham, Mr. Nathaniel, d. May 22, 1803, a. 54.  
Hayes, Ezekiel, d. Oct. 21, 1818, a. 73.  
Herd, Nathaniel, d. April 2, 1700, a. 31.  
Hodgdon, Shadrach, Jr., d. May 3, 1776, a. 34.  
Hodgdon, Ann, wife of Shadrach, Jr., d. March 27, 1826, a. 84.
- Neil, William, d. May 9, 1825, a. 79.  
Nute, Capt. Samuel, d. March 21, 1828, a. 78.
- Ramson, Col. Jonathan, d. May 30, 1794, a. 35.  
Roberts, Elizabeth, wife of Joseph, d. Oct. 14, 1742, a. 38.
- Tebbetts, Major Ebenezer, d. Mch., 19, 1804, a. 56.  
Tebbetts, Mrs. Rebecca, consort of Major Ebenezer, d. Oct. 31, 1810, a. 60.  
Titcomb, Col. Benjamin, d. June 4, 1799, a. 56.

Waldron, Mrs. Constant, wife of Col. Thomas W., d. Sept. 25, 1783, a. 49.

Wingate, J., d. May 12, 1794, a. 80.

Wingate, Col. Joshua, d. Feb. 9, 1796, a. 71.

## EPSOM

*(an early post town of importance)*

Blake, Lieut. Samuel, d. Aug. 19, 1801.

Blake, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Samuel, d. June 27, 1804, a. 68.

Brown, Enoch, d. 1829, a. 78.

Curtis, Lieut. Jonathan, d. July 11, 1826, a. 78.

Gray, Capt. James, d. Jan. 10, 1822, a. 72.

Gray, Susanna, wife of James, d. Mar. 8, 1826, a. 73.

McClary, Capt. John, d. 1801, a. 82.

McClary, Elizabeth Harvey, wife of John, d. Oct. 8, 1807, a. 85.

McClary, Gen. Michael, d. Mar. 27, 1821, a. 71.

Sanborn, Simon, d. Sept. 16, 1818, a. 70.

## EXETER

Chamberlain, Mrs. Rebekah, wife of Mr. Timothy, d. May 9, 1760.

Colcord, Mr. Edward, d. Nov. 13, 1793, a. 78.

Colcord, Mrs. Hannah, wife of Mr. Edward, d. Feb. 15, 1793, a. 71.

Colcord, Miss Mary, d. March 4, 1794, a. 48.

Dean, Mr. John, d. Sept. 14, 1768, a. 49.

Dudley, Sarah, d. Jan. 24, 1711, a. 44.

Folsom, Dea. Josiah, d. June 9, 1846, a. 81.

Folsom, Lieut. Josiah, d. July 27, 1820, a. 95.

Folsom, Mrs. Martha, wife of Lieut. Josiah, d. Sept. 27, 1811.

Gillman, Mrs. Joanna, wife of Mr. Andrew, d. Nov. 16, 1727, a. 30.  
Griffith, Mr. David, d. Feb. 2, 1779.

Ladd, Abigail, d. Aug. 8, 1747.

Ladd, Nathaniel, d. Aug. 11, 1691, a. 41.

Ladd, Mr. Simeon, d. Dec. 17, 1811, a. 69.

Ladd, Mrs. Ruth, wife of Simeon, d. Nov. 14, 1784, a. 42.

Ladd, Mrs. Alepha, wife of Simeon, d. Oct. 24, 1788, a. 33.

Odlin, Alice, Relict of John, Esq., d. June 6, 1784, a. 73.

Robinson, Trueworthy, d. May 28, 1844, a. 83.

Robinson, Jane, widow of Trueworthy, d. Feb. 8, 1845, a. 81.

Thing, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Mr. Barth<sup>o</sup>, d. May 29, 1711, a. 25.

Thing, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Samuel, Esq., d. Nov. 7, 1728, a. 54.

Thing, Capt. Jonathan, d. Oct. 31, 1694, a. 40.

Thing, Mary, wife of Capt. Jonathan, d. Aug. 1691, a. 33.

## HAMPTON

Dalton, Dea. Philemon, d. April y<sup>e</sup> 5, 1721, a. 56.

Dole, Dr. Benjamin, d. May 8, 1707, a. 27.

Drake, Capt. Nathaniel, d. Sept. 11, 1763, a. 68.

Drake, Mr. Robert, d. Feb<sup>ry</sup>. y<sup>e</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> 174<sup>2</sup>/<sub>3</sub> in y<sup>e</sup> 79<sup>th</sup> year of his age.

Drake, Sarah, wife of Robert, d. June y<sup>e</sup> 8<sup>th</sup> 1742 in y<sup>e</sup> 66 year of her age.

On a double stone

Hobes, Joseph, d. Dec<sup>r</sup>. y<sup>e</sup> 21<sup>st</sup>, 1717, a. 25 and

Hobes, Sarah, wife to Morris, d. Dec<sup>r</sup>. y<sup>e</sup> 21<sup>st</sup>, 1717, a. 66.

Lamprey, John, d. July 23, 1788, a. 81.

Lane, Mr. Ebenezer, d. May 20, 1796, a. 62.

Lane, Huldah, wife of Ebenezer, d. July 13, 1814, a. 79.

Marston, Capt. Jeremiah, d. Oct. 25, 1803, a. 80.

Marston, Tabitha, wife of Jeremiah, d. March 17, 1807, a. 81.

Palmer, Mr. Samuel, d. Jan. 25, 1761, a. 83.

Palmer, Mrs. Abigail, wife of Samuel, d. May 19, 1747, a. 68.

Smith, Lieut. Elisha, d. Feb. 9<sup>th</sup> 1759, a. 73.

Smith, Major Joseph, d. Nov. 15, 1717, a. 63.

Smith, Dorothy, wife of Joseph, d. Dec. 29, 1706, a. 50.

Towle, Mr. Jeremiah, d. Nov. 7, 1800, a. 91

Towle, Mr. Zachariah, d. Aug. 5, 1787, a. 82.

Weeks, Dr. John, d. Oct. 20, 1763, a. 47.

Weeks, Martha, wife of John, d. March 9, 1758, a. 40.

## COLONIAL GRAVES IN KEENE

(Now included in "Vital Statistics of the Town of Keene.")

	<i>Born</i>	<i>Died</i>	<i>Cemetery in which buried</i>
Thomas Baker } wife }	March 5, 1730	July 15, 1806	Probably Washington Street
Sarah Baker }	Feb. 7, 1732	Apr. 24, 1807	Probably Washington Street
Isaac Billings } wife }			No stone
Esther Billings }	1742	1806	West
Deacon O. Blake } 1st wife }	1718	June 14, 1810	Ash Swamp
Zipporah Blake } 2nd wife }	1728	Feb. 25, 1785	Ash Swamp
Lydia Blake }	1732	Jan. 28, 1810	Ash Swamp
Nathan Blake }	1712	Aug. 4, 1811	Washington Street
Hepzibah Brown, wife of Joseph		1802	West
Capt. Eliphalet Briggs }	1734	Oct. 11, 1776	Washington Street
wife }			
Mary Cobb Briggs }	1737	June 9, 1806	Washington Street
John Colony }	1730	June 24, 1797	West
wife }			
Meletiah or "Mitty" Colony }	1734	Jan. 16, 1810	West
Noah Cooke }	1749	Oct. 15, 1829	Washington Street
wife }			
Mary or "Polly" Cooke }	1747	Oct. 21, 1801	Washington Street
Ebenezer Day }	1713	Jan. 12, 1776	Probably Washington Street
wife }			
Bathsheba Day }		Sept. 5, 1798	Washington Street
Capt. Ephraim Dorman }	Dec. 22, 1710	May 7, 1795	Old South, now abandoned. Stones in D. A. R. Enclosure.
Captain Dorman was one of the Proprietors of Keene			Washington Street
wife }			
Hepzibah Dorman }	Feb. 14, 1717	Jan. 16, 1781	
Henry Ellis }	1746	Aug., 1838	North
wife }			
Meletiah Ellis }	1751	Apr., 1850	North
Capt. Nathaniel Fairbanks }	1688	March 26, 1763	Old South
wife }			
Betty Fairbanks }	1703	Feb. 26, 1772	Old South now in Wash.

	<i>Born</i>	<i>Died</i>	<i>Cemetery in which buried</i>
Deacon David Foster } wife		June 22, 1779	West
Hannah Foster }			(?)
Rev. Aaron Hall } wife	1751	Aug. 12, 1814	Woodland (37 years of ministry)
Sarah Barker Hall }	1755	Oct. 16, 1788	Woodland
Capt. John Houghton } wife	1746	Aug. 15, 1818	North
Relief Houghton }	1751	June 13, 1841	North
Major Davis Howlett } wife	1737	Feb. 23, 1817	Washington Street
Mary Howlett }	1741	April 1, 1826	Washington Street
Nathaniel Kingsbury } 1st wife	1739	Jan. 27, 1803	North
Mehetable Johnson } 2nd wife	1739	Feb. 27, 1768	(?)
Hannah Ware }	1738	Sept. 25, 1785	North
David Nims } wife	March 30, 1716	July 21, 1803	Washington Street
Abigail Hawks }	1719	July 13, 1799	Washington Street
Jonathan Pond } wife	1741	March 4, 1817	North
Thankful Pond }	1741	Sept. 16, 1820	North
Alexander Ralston }	1746	March 29, 1810	Washington Street
Janet Ballach }	1748	1833	Washington Street
Abigail Reed, wife of General } James Reed	1723	Aug. 27, 1791	Old South, removed to Wash.
Capt. Josiah Richardson }	1746	Feb. 25, 1820	Washington Street
Miss Rhoda Sanger }	1736	June 28, 1811	Washington Street
Jeremiah Stily Esq. } wife	1744	Dec. 5, 1800	Washington Street
Mary Sanger }	1736	June 28, 1811	Washington Street
Cornelius Sturtivant } wife	1735	March 8, 1826	North
Sarah Sturtivant }	1738	Apr. 25, 1826	North
Widow Elizabeth Sturtivant }	1697	May 16, 1790	North
Mrs. Jemima Tiffany }	1711	Feb. 7, 1789	North
Abijah Wilder }	1752	Jan. 9, 1835	Washington Street
1st wife			
Sarah or Susan Wilder }	1752	March 8, 1780	Washington Street
2nd wife			
Martha Blake }	1747	March 28, 1784	Washington Street
3rd wife			
Beulah Johnson }	1757	Dec. 27, 1788	Washington Street
4th wife			
Tamar Wilder }	1749	1834	Washington Street
Major Josiah Willard }	1737	June 29, 1801	Washington Street
1st wife			
Thankful }	1741	July 24, 1767	(?)
2nd wife			
Mary Willard }	1741	July 20, 1779	(?)
3rd wife			
Susannah Willard }		Oct. 25, 1785	(?)
Captain David Willson }		1818	Washington Street
wife			
Elizabeth Willson }	1742	March 13, 1775	Probably Washington Street
Lieut. James Wright }	1747	May 3, 1811	Washington Street
1st wife			
Elizabeth Rugg }	1747	March 14, 1799	Washington Street
2nd wife			
Jemima Wright }	1754	Jan. 19, 1844	Probably Washington Street

## LONDONDERRY

*Londonderry Graveyard.*

- Anderson, Samuel, d. March 11, 1796, a. 48.  
Anderson, Deacon Samuel, d. Feb. 10, 1794, a. 82.  
Anderson, Mary, his wife, d. April 11, 1796, a. 77.  
Anderson, Thomas, d. Feb. 21, 1798, a. 78.  
Anderson, Mary, his wife, d. March 13, 1807, a. 81.  
Anderson, John, born 1680, d. 1756, a. 76.  
Anderson, Jean, his wife, born 1682, d. 1752, a. 70.  
Anderson, James, born 1710, d. 1781, a. 71.  
Anderson, Isabel McQuesten, his wife, born 1713, d. 1788, a. 75.  
Anderson, William, born 1741, d. 1831, a. 90.  
Anderson, Agnes Clark, his wife, born 1745, d. 1829, a. 84.
- Bell, Hon. John, d. Nov. 30, 1825, a. 95.  
Bell, Mary Ann, his wife, d. April 21, 1822, a. 85.  
Boyd, Lieut. Alexander, d. July 13, 1823, a. 77.  
Boyd, Martha, his wife, d. Sept. 28, 1804, a. 52.  
Boyd, Robert, d. Feb. 23, 1803, a. 88.  
Boyd, Mary, his wife, d. July 17, 1789, a. 80.
- Dean, Abigail, wife of Nathaniel of Dedham, d. March 8, 1824, a. 86.  
Dickey, Adam, d. June 22, 1817, a. 73.  
Duncan, Abraham, d. March 1, 1805, a. 64.  
Duncan, Jane, his wife, d. Jan. 19, 1812, a. 65.
- Gooden, David, d. June 20, 1822, a. 78.  
Gooden, Mehitable, his wife, d. Dec. 12, 1822, a. 81.
- Jeffers, Mrs. Christiana, d. Jan. 10, 1799, a. 59.  
Jones, Josiah, d. Aug. 16, 1796, a. 65.
- Mack, Andrew, d. July 10, 1820, a. 72.  
Mack, Elizabeth, his wife, d. Feb. 14, 1830, a. 82.  
March, Deacon John, d. Jan. 2, 1820, a. 83.  
Moore, Capt. William, d. Feb. 13, 1812, a. 79.



Moore, Martha, his wife, d. June 21, 1808, a. 74.

Morrison, Robert, d. Feb. 12, 1846, a. 91.

Morrison, Jenny, his wife, d. May 1, 1832, a. 83.

Morrison, Jane, his wife, d. Sept. 18, 1829, a. 68.

Nesmith, James, d. July 15, 1793, a. 75.

Nesmith, Deacon James, d. March 1, 1796, a. 55.

Patterson, Peter, d. March 28, 1800, a. 85.

Patterson, Grisel, his wife, d. June 29, 1817, a. 94.

Patterson, Deacon Thomas, d. May 20, 1834, a. 87.

Patterson, Elizabeth, his wife, d. Dec. 30, 1833, a. 78.

Remsheir, Mrs. Sarah, d. May 1, 1804, a. 77.

Watts, John, d. April 5, 1819, a. 71.

Watts, Susannah, his wife, d. April 16, 1826, a. 73.

Wilson, Samuel, d. Dec. 4, 1801, a. 73.

Wilson, Elizabeth, his wife, d. July 14, 1816, a. 85.

*Hill Graveyard, Londonderry.*

Aiken, Martha, dau. of William, d. May 4, 1749, a. 14.

Aiken, William, d. Oct. 16, 1745, a. 54.

Alexander, Agnes, wife of John, d. Sept. 4, 1769, a. 71.

Alexander, John, d. Feb. 14, 1771, a. 92.

Anderson, Janet, wife of Robert, d. Nov. 15, 1777, a. 54.

Bell, John, d. July 8, 1743, a. 64.

Bell, Elisabeth, his wife, d. Aug. 30, 1771, a. 82.

Bell, Joseph, d. Oct. 14, 1779, a. 83.

Bell, Jean, his wife, d. Nov. 22, 1777, a. 82.

Boyd, William, d. Nov. 24, 1785, a. 70.

Boyd, Alice, his wife, d. Nov. 25, 1790, a. 60. (?)

Boyd, John, son of William and Alice, d. Dec. 28, 1764, a. 15.

Boyd, Lettice, dau. of William and Alice, d. Aug. 14, 1772,  
a. 15.

Boyd, Robert, son of William and Alice, d. Jan. 9, 1777, a. 22.



Campbell, Jannet, wife of Henry, d. Sept. 28, 1778, a. 46.  
Craige, John, d. Oct. 2, 1758, a. 61.  
Craige, Mary, his wife, d. April 27, 1753, a. 92.

Dickey, Elias, d. Feb. 27, 1755, a. 57.  
Dickey, Mrs. Elizabeth, d. Sept. 21, 1788, a. 70.  
Dickey, Martha, wife of Samuel, d. Oct. 15, 1775, a. 72.  
Dickey, William, d. Oct. 9, 1743, a. 60.  
Duncan, John, d. Nov. 15, 1799, a. 70.  
Duncan, Hannah, his wife, d. Jan. 5, 1789, a. 50.  
Duncan, Letitia, wife of Dea. George, d. May 5, 1767, a. 52.  
Duncan, Naomi, wife of Capt. William, d. Sept. 1, 1807, a. 88.  
Duncan, Robert, son of John, d. Feb. 10, 1759, a. 26.  
Duncan, William, d. Feb. 22, 1795, a. 82.  
Duncan, William, d. Oct. 23, 1764, a. 20.

Finlay, Janet, wife of Joseph, d. Dec. 23, 1768, a. 57.  
Fisher, Elder Samuel, d. April 10, 1806, a. 84.  
Fisher, Agnes, wife of Samuel, d. March 12, 1755, a. 27.  
Fisher, Sarah, wife of Samuel, d. Feb. 3, 1813, a. 80.

Hogg, John, d. Aug. 13, 1755, a. 27.  
Hogg, Thomas, d. Jan. 8, 1748, a. 42.  
Hogg, Mary, his wife, d. May 1, 1790, a. 84.

Mack, John, d. April 12, 1753, a. 55.  
McAllester, William, d. March 10, 1755, a. 55.  
McCleach, John, d. March 24, 1820, a. 76.  
McCleach, Martha, his wife, d. July 27, 1810, a. 69.  
McCleary, Capt. David, son of Thos. and Elizabeth, d. at Bennington, Aug. 16, 1777, a. 31.  
McCleary, Elizabeth, dau. of Thos. and Elizabeth, d. Oct. 15, 1782, a. 30.  
McCleary, Thomas, d. Oct. 5, 1787, a. 81.  
McColom, Alexander, d. July 4, 1781, a. 79.  
McColom, Janet, his wife, d. Oct. 11, 1773, a. 69.  
McColom, Archibald, d. April 10, 1761, a. 23.  
McColom, Lieut. Robert, d. June 13, 1792, a. 56.  
McColom, Martha, wife of Lieut. Robert, d. Sept. 15, 1822, a. 74.

Oughterson, James, d. March 3, 1761, a. 64.

Pinkerton, David, d. March 8, 1808, a. 75.

Pinkerton, John, d. Feb. 10, 1780, a. 80.

Pinkerton, Mary, wife of John, d. Sept. 10, 1754, a. 44.

Pinkerton, Major John, d. May 1, 1816, a. 81.

Pinkerton, Mary, wife of Major John, d. Feb. 19, 1844, a. 94.

Pinkerton, Rachel, wife of Major John, d. Sept. 13, 1781, a. 36.

Pinkerton, Rachel, dau. of John and Mary, d. Nov. 17, 1796,  
a. 47.

Pinkerton, Mary, dau. of John and Mary, d. Sept. 23, 1807, a. 67.

Pinkerton, Samuel, son of John and Mary, d. March 16, 1780, a. 34.

Scobey, Martha, d. Oct. 6, 1754, a. 30.

Scobey, Matthew, d. July 2, 1764, a. 31.

Smith, Jane, wife of John, d. March 5, 1779, a. 29.

Taggart, Jean, wife of James, d. March 6, 1770, a. 60.

Taggart, Rose, wife of Neil, d. June 15, 1748, a. 48.

Wallace, Thomas, d. Aug. 22, 1754, a. 82.

Wallace, Barbara, wife of Thos., d. Sept. 2, 1771, a. 95.

Wallace, John, d. March 29, 1777, a. 82.

Wallace, Annas, wife of John, d. Jan. 6, 1761, a. 63.

(This horizontal stone states that John and Annas Wallace were  
the first couple married in Londonderry, May 18, 1721.)

Wallace, Capt. Robert, d. Oct. 10, 1782, a. 73.

Wallace, Naomi, wife of Capt. Robert, d. May 10, 1791, a. 80.

Wallace, Ann, d. Aug. 23, 1733, a. 20.

Wallace, James, d. Oct. 30, 1791, a. 80.

Wallace, Capt. James, d. Dec. 14, 1792, a. 71.

Wallace, William M. A., son of Thos. and Barbara, d. March 27,  
1733, a. 26.

Wallace, Thomas, d. May 7, 1789, a. 73.

Wallace, Mrs. Rebecca, d. Sept. 22, 1804, a. 81.

Wallace, Thomas, d. Jan. 26, 1790, a. 46.

Wallace, Samuel, d. July 29, 1778, a. 41.

Watts, Peggy, wife of Moses, d. May 3, 1795, a. 64.

Wiear, David, son of Adam and Margaret, d. Feb. 15, 1765, a. 25.

Wilson, Joseph, d.

Wilson, Rebecca, his wife, d. May 25, 1770, a. 66.

Woodburn, David, d. Oct. 9, 1823, a. 85.

Woodburn, Margaret, his wife, d. Oct. 17, 1792, a. 39.

## MANCHESTER

### *Valley Cemetery.*

Gamble, William, d. 1785, a. 76.

Gamble, Annie Stark, wife of William, d. 1805, a. 83.

McNeil, Mrs. Cresten, 1688-1754, decorated stone.

Riddel, Mrs. Jenit, wife to Mr. John, d. Sept. 18, 1748, a. 50.

Stark, Samuel, brother of Gen. John, d. March 16, 1809, a. 73.

Stark, Elizabeth, his wife, d. March 10, 1818, a. 79.

### *East Manchester Cemetery.*

Flint, Elijah, d. Feb. 23, 1829, a. 81.

Hall, Lieut. Daniel, d. Nov. 4, 1815, a. 71.

Hall, Mrs. Jane, widow of Daniel, d. April 19, 1822, a. 77.

Huse, Abel, d. July, 1807, a. 80.

Huse, Lydia, widow of Abel, d. Aug. 15, 1825, a. 94.

Perham, Capt. John, d. 1814, a. 72.

Perham, Sarah, widow of Capt. John, d. 1821, a. 82.

Stevens, Ezekiel, d. 1820, a. 84.

Harvey, John, 1751-1841, in the *Merrill Cemetery*.

Rundlett, Nathaniel, 1741-1825, in *Piscataquog Cemetery*.

Moore, Capt. Samuel, 1740-1812, in *Goffes' Falls Cemetery*.

## NASHUA

Bancroft, Col. Ebenezer, d. Sept. 22, 1827, a. 90.  
Bancroft, Susannah, wife of Ebenezer, d. Oct. 4, 1823, a. 80.  
Bancroft, Lieut. Timothy, d. Nov. 21, 1772, a. 62.  
Blanchard, Hon. Jonathan, Esq., d. July 16, 1788, a. 51.  
Blanchard, Hon. Joseph, Esq., d. April 7, 1758, a. 55.  
Blanchard, Abiah, relict of Capt. Joseph, d. Dec. 8, 1746, a. 70.

Colburn, Dea. Thomas, d. Nov. 2, 1770, a. 95.  
Colburn, Mrs. Mary, wife of Dea. Thomas, d. Sept. 7, 1739, a. 58.

Eayre, Mr. Joseph, d. Feb. 7, 1798, a. 69 y. 4 m. 12 d.

Farwell, Mr. Oliver, d. Feb. 12, 1808, a. 90.  
French, Capt. Benjamin, d. Dec. 15, 1799, a. 73.  
French, Mrs. Mary, wife of Capt. Benj<sup>a</sup>, d. Dec. 17, 1774, a. 44 y.  
7 m. 8 d.

Houston, Mrs. Jemima, wife of Mr. Ovid, d. Dec. 26, 1762, a. 26.  
Hunt, Dea. William, d. May 9, 1797, a. 73.  
Hunt, Mrs. Mary, wife of Dea. William, d. Feb. 1, 1781, a. 51.  
Hunt, Mrs. Hannah, wife of Dea. William, d. Oct. 19, 1787, a. 51.

Kendall, Mrs. Deborah, wife of Mr. John, d. March 3, 1739, a. 45.

Lovewell, Col. Zaccheus, d. April 12, 1772, a. 71.  
Lund, Mrs. Sarah, wife of Lieu. Levi, d. May 28, 1785, a. 23.

Roby, Mr. Sam<sup>l</sup>, d. Nov. 3, 1799, a. 51 y. 7 m. 7 d.

Starr, Ebenezer, Physician, d. Sept. 7, 1798, a. 52.  
Starr, Mrs. Hannah, wife of Ebenezer, d. March 22, 1794, a. 42.  
Starr, Mrs. Rebekah, wife of Doctor Ebenezer, d. Oct. 19, 1810,  
a. 44.

Willard, Col. Josiah, Esq<sup>r</sup>, d. Dec. 8, 1750, a. 57.

## PITTSFIELD

Chase, Nathaniel, d. Jan. 1834, a. 90.

Cram, John, Esq., d. Aug. 30, 1803, a. 72. One of the first settlers.

Cram, Abigail, his wife, d. May 4, 1802, a. 71.

Drake, Maj. James, d. Feb. 26, 1834, a. 78. One of the first settlers.

Drake, Hannah Ward, his wife, d. Dec. 17, 1848, a. 85.

Green, Mary, consort of Nathan, d. June 20, 1795, a. 68.

Rindge, Mrs. Sarah, relict of Jonathan, d. Jan. 18, 1826, a. 86.

White, Mr. Josiah, d. Dec. 1, 1807, a. 66.

White, Mrs. Mary, consort of Josiah, d. Feb. 17, 1799, a. 52.

White, Mr. Nathan, d. Aug. 28, 1812, a. 63.

White, Mrs. Susanna, relict of Nathan, d. Oct. 23, 1824, a. 81.

Williams, Mrs. Elizabeth, relict of Dea. Isaac, d. Feb. 9, 1824, a. 76.

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*Point of Graves Cemetery.*

Ayers, Alice, wife of Edward, d. Feb. 9, 1717-18, a. 53.

Ayers, Mrs. Elizabeth, d. Jan. 29, 1821, a. 81.

Beck, Elizabeth, d. March 7, 1746, a. 62.

Blagdon, Mary, wife of Dr. Samuel, d. Dec. 11, 1735, a. 75.

Briard, Elisha, d. May 27, 1718, a. 57.

Button, William, d. Oct. 19, 1693, a. 37.

Cameron, Mary, wife to William, d. March 13, 1742, a. 33.

Cario, Abigail, wife to William, d. Sept. 17, 1767, a. 41.

Dennett, John, d. May 5, 1709, a. 63.

Drisco, Capt. James, d. March 19, 1812, a. 62.

Drisco, Elizabeth, wife of James, d. Aug. 25, 1805, a. 54.

Elatson, Mrs. Elizabeth, d. Jan. 1704, a. 45.

Fellows, Capt. William, d. April 12, 1737, a. 71.

Fellows, Elizabeth, wife of William, d. Oct. 3, 1732, a. 61.

Furber, Capt. Jethro, d. April 9, 1738, a. 56.

Griffith, Samuel, Esq., d. Dec. 11, 1773, a. 44.

Hart, Mrs. Mary, wife of Capt. Samuel, d. June 23, 1714, a. 38.

Jackson, Mary, widow of Joseph, d. Jan. 15, 1763, a. 90.

Jackson, Samuel, d. April 13, 1732, a. 53.

Jaffrey, Anne, y<sup>e</sup> wife of George, Esq<sup>f</sup>, Dec<sup>d</sup>. Decemb<sup>r</sup> 6, 1682,  
a. 18.

Lang, Capt. Daniel, d. July 24, 1757, a. 36.

Langdon, Joseph, Jr., merchant, d. Oct. 30, 17—, a. 25.

Langdon, Mehitable, wife of Dea. Mark, d. Oct. 7, 1762, a. 63.

Lear, Mary, second wife of Capt. Tobias, d. May 24, 1829, a. 90.

Lovett, James, d. April 4, 1718, a. 65.

Meserve, Mrs. Jane, wife to Coll<sup>o</sup> Nathaniel, d. June y<sup>e</sup> 18, Anno  
Dom. 1747, a. 29.

Messer, Francis, d. Dec. 19, 1692, a. 58.

Moulton, John, d. Oct. 7, 1719, a. 77.

Moulton, Lucy, wife of Capt. Daniel, d. Feb. 27, 1733, a. 37.

Partridge, Nehemiah, d. Feb. 12, 1709, a. 46.

Partridge, William, d. May 13, 1718, a. 47.

Sargent, Sarah, d. Aug. 21, 1771, a. 74.

Shackford, Mrs. Elener, d. Feb. 4, 1804, a. 90.

Shackford, John, d. Oct. 3, 1738, a. 60.

Simpson, Susannah, wife of Ares, d. March 12, 1739, a. 72.

Siveret, Philip, "Dec<sup>d</sup>. y<sup>e</sup> 20 of March, 1689, at y<sup>e</sup> age of 40."

Small, Joseph, d. Oct. 4, 1720, a. 40.

Webber, Richard, d. May 25, 1720, a. 82.

Webber, Lydia, relict of Richard, d. April 30, 1721, a. 69.

*St. John's Churchyard.*

Bradford, Mr. John, d. Feb<sup>ry</sup>. y<sup>e</sup> 11, 1745, a. 57.

Bradford, Mrs. Dorcas, his wife, d. June y<sup>e</sup> 27, 1769, a. 74.

Collins, Christopher, d. March y<sup>e</sup> 20, 1753, a. 35.

Davenport, Mr. John, d. March 28, 1842, a. 90.

Davenport, Elizabeth, wife of John, d. Feb. 3, 1801, a. 54.

Furniss, Robt. Esq., d. July 1, 1800, a. 68.

Furniss, Margaret, wife of Robt., d. May 26, 1834, a. 92.

Gardner, John, d. Jan. 7, 1797, a. 82.

Gardner, Elizabeth, consort of John, d. April 10, 1794, a. 74.

Hall, Samuel, an enterprising merchant, d. May 14, 1813, a. 43.

Hickey, Elizabeth, d. Sept. 19, 1783 (age not legible).

Manning, Thomas, merchant, d. March 24, 1819, a. 72. An honest man.

Manning, Margaret, wife of Thomas, d. July 9, 1830, a. 65.

Purcell, Gregory, d. May 18, 1788, a. 18.

Purcell, Mary, d. Dec. 24, 1788, a. 21.

Rice, Capt. Samuel, d. May 14, 1802, a. 51.

Rice, Elizabeth, widow of Samuel, d. Nov. 17, 1824, a. 74.

Stavers, John, d. Sept. 30, 1797, a. 83. ("Kept Stavers' Inn.")

Stavers, Katherine, wife of John, d. May 9, 1790, a. 63.

Stevens, Mary, widow of Capt. Thomas B., d. Aug. 29, 1853, a. 91.

Wardrobe, John, Esq., d. Oct. 29, 1804, a. 42.

Welch, Mr. David Shackford, d. 1795, a. 23.











